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Slavs Enter City Without Firing Shot—Hunger and Disease Forced the Surrender.

London, March 24.—The white flag was hoisted on the fortress of Przemyśl on Monday and the Russian army entered the city without firing a shot after a siege of six months during which that had been the longest in history. Forty thousand Austrian soldiers, 200 officers and nine generals threw down their arms and surrendered, worn to the last extremity by disease and hunger. The fall of the fortress is regarded in Petrograd and London as the greatest victory for Russian arms since the beginning of the war.

Following up quickly the advantage gained by the capture of the Austrian stronghold, the Russian army has begun a vigorous battle along the line. Reinforcements have been rushed into the mountains in the expectation of the fall of Przemyśl and everywhere the Austrians are being attacked with marked stubbornness.

The most violent conflicts are taking place in the vicinity of the Dukla, Lysak and Lupkow passes, which are the three principal passes nearest Przemyśl, from which they are distant only about fifty miles.

## NEGRO ARRESTED AS 'AXMAN'

Police of Monmouth, Ill., Believe Score of Crime Will Be Solved With Arrest of Black.

Monmouth, Ill., March 23.—The police of this city hope that the mystery surrounding more than a score of "axman" murders, in which entire families have been slain in the last four years, will be solved by the arrest of a negro giving his name as Loving Mitchell, who was captured on Sunday in a squalid shanty at 1225 Chestnut street, St. Louis, Mo. The negro, a giant in size, was arrested on the specific charge of having slain William B. Dawson, his wife and three-year-old daughter, Georgia, as they slept in their home in Monmouth, September 20, 1911. The similarity of the other crimes has led authorities to believe all were committed by the same man. The long list of victims of the "axman" mania include 29 persons, and his slayings cover Illinois, Missouri, Kansas, Iowa and Colorado.

## BRITISH PUT SPY TO DEATH

Story of Second Recent Execution in Tower of London Brought to New York.

New York, March 23.—Utmost secrecy is maintained in official circles in London with regard to the recent arrests of several German spies in the metropolitan district and the court-martial sentence imposed. In at least one case the extreme penalty of death has been carried out, according to reports received here with the arrival of the Tuscania from Liverpool. Not many days prior to the sailing of the Tuscania from Liverpool, on March 13, the special branch of the criminal department of Scotland Yard had arrested three men alleged to be German spies. Their names were stated to be John Hann, Muller and Meyer.

One man was put to death on March 5.

## LORIMER PLEADS NOT GUILTY

Former United States Senator From Illinois Appears Before Federal Judge in Chicago.

Chicago, March 24.—William Lorimer, former United States senator from Illinois, entered a plea of not guilty to the charge of misappropriation of funds of the LaSalle Street National bank when he was arraigned before Federal Judge Carpenter on Monday. Pleas of not guilty were also entered by Charles E. Fox and Thomas McDonald, cashier and auditor, respectively, for the LaSalle Street bank, who were charged with making false entries in the bank's books.

## MEMEL RETAKEN BY TEUTONS

German Recapture Baltic Seaport From Russians—Carrs Men Looted Town.

Berlin (by wireless), March 24.—The city of Memel, the German seaport on the Baltic occupied by the Russians last Thursday, was recaptured by German troops Sunday, according to an official report from the German general staff. Fighting in the city was sharp, but the town was recaptured. The general staff report states that private property was looted by the Russians.

## Russians Defeat the Turks

Petrograd, March 25.—Defeat of Turkish troops by the Russians in a two days' battle is announced in a report from the Caucasus headquarters. The Turks retreated from the Zeldin valley and Alaschger to Bayaz.

## To Launch Aerial Attack

Amsterdam, March 26.—Germany will launch her great aerial attack against England within two weeks, according to travelers from Berlin. They stated that a great fleet had been concentrated at Brussels and Cologne.

## Gombers in Chicago

Chicago, March 25.—Samuel Gombers is in Chicago trying to adjust the trouble between the building trades unions and employers. The general labor situation is "brightening up a bit," according to President Gombers.

## Vepicka Has Civilian Freed

Nich Serbia, via London, March 25.—Through the efforts of the American minister to Serbia, Charles J. Vepicka of Chicago, Serbia and Austria-Hungary have reached an agreement for the exchange of interned civilians.

## British Lost 5,081 Officers

London, March 25.—British army officers lost 15,473 officers killed and 2,833 wounded, while 705 have been reported missing. This gives a total of officers' casualty list of 5,081 men.

## German War Loan Closed

Berlin, via London, March 25.—Competent financial authorities estimate that subscriptions to the war loan, which closed at one o'clock Saturday, will aggregate at least \$2,500,000,000.

## GEN. BLANCO SLAIN

FORMER VILLA CABINET MEMBER SUFFERS DEATH AFTER A COURT-MARTIAL.

MATAMOROS FIGHT IS NEAR

Carranza's Enemies Marching on Border Port—Bryan Reassures Binder Twine Men on Sisal—Port at Progress Remains Open.

Washington, March 26.—Gen. Lucio Blanco, the "Blind" Sheridan of Mexican revolutionists, so denominated because of his dashing qualities as a cavalryman, has been executed by a firing squad of Villa troops after trial on a charge of treason to the conventional government of Mexico.

The execution took place January 27 at Aguascalientes, but the facts were suppressed. General Blanco was minister of the interior in the cabinet of Eulalio Guiterrez, and was one of the cabinet leaders who accompanied the retiring provisional president when he fled from Mexico City. The others were Gen. Jose Ysabel Robles, minister of war, and Jose Vasconcellos, minister of education. All started for Pachuca, but Blanco fled behind and was captured by Villistas.

Advises reaching the state department indicate that the Villa campaign against the border ports of Matamoros and Nueva Laredo is progressing rapidly. An attack on Matamoros is expected almost momentarily.

It appears that General Nafarrete has 3,000 men in the garrison and that the citizens of Matamoros have decided at a mass meeting to help him fight the Villa forces.

Official reports from Tampico say the American steamer Canfield has been held by the custom house there for two days for having obtained clearance in Tampa from the Villa consul through a mistake. The issue has been referred to General Carranza.

Secretaries Bryan and Daniels continued to inquire into conditions in Yucatan, where the sisal crop, on which American twine manufacturers depend, is imperiled. Delegations of independent twine manufacturers visited the state department urging that everything possible be done to assure safety and transportation of the crop.

Colville Barclay, counselor of the British embassy, called at the state department and was assured that the port at Progreso, Yucatan, remained open and that quiet prevailed in the district.

## "STONEWALL'S" WIDOW DIES

End Comes to General Jackson's Helpmeet at Charlotte, N. C.—He a Number of Years.

Charlotte, N. C., March 26.—Mrs. Mary Anna Jackson, widow of Gen. Thomas J. Jackson, the famous Confederate leader, better known as "Stonewall" Jackson, died at her home here on Wednesday. Mrs. Jackson had been in failing health for a number of years. Mrs. Jackson was born in Mecklenburg, N. C., the daughter of Rev. Robert Hall Morrison, a Presbyterian minister. She married Thomas Jonathan Jackson in 1857. Three years later she was made a widow, when he was killed at the battle of Chancellorsville.

## AUSTRIA TO SUE FOR PEACE?

Correspondent Declares Emperor Seeks Germany's Permission to End Hostilities.

London, March 26.—The Exchange Telegraph correspondent at the Hague called here on Wednesday he had learned from diplomatic sources that Emperor Franz Josef is endeavoring, through the Vatican, to obtain Germany's permission for Austria to conclude a separate peace. Franz Josef has had several long interviews with a papal representative who returned to Rome. The correspondent expects Pope Benedict to act in Austria's behalf before Easter.

## SLAIN AS WAS STEPFATHER

Son of Woman Who Killed Former U. S. Senator After Brown Stabbed by Half-Brother.

Price, Utah, March 26.—Matthew Bradley, twenty years old, son of Mrs. Anna Bradley, who shot and killed Arthur Brown, former United States senator from Utah, at Washington, in 1906, died here on Wednesday of knife wounds inflicted in a quarrel by Arthur Brown Bradley, his half-brother, fifteen years old, who is a son of the former senator.

## Buildings Are Blown Up

Geneva, Switzerland, via Paris, March 26.—Austrians have blown up with dynamite all the buildings between Trent and Lake Garda, on the Italian frontier, which would be in the line of artillery fire.

## Stricken From Roster

London, March 26.—Because of his defeat of Germany, the name of Sven Hedin, famous Scandinavian explorer, has been stricken from the list of honorary members of the Royal Geographical society.

## British Seize U. S. Ship

London, March 24.—Despite a protest from the United States government the American steamer Maraca has been placed in the custody of the British prize court, according to a dispatch from Hull.

## Storm Kills Many People

Madrid, March 26.—At least 300 lives have been lost in a terrific storm that has been sweeping the southern coast of Spain for three days. Four Spanish emigrant ships have been wrecked.

## Doorman Wins Rich Girl

New York, March 25.—Isabel Bernheimer, eighteen years old, daughter of C. B. Bernheimer, eloped with James Murray, a doorman. Word of the marriage was telephoned to Mr. Bernheimer by his daughter.

## 100 Bars to Shut Doors

Kansas City, Mo., March 25.—Approximately 100 of the 611 saloons in Kansas City will close "for the moral good of the community" as a result of action taken by the board of police commissioners.

## ZEPS BOMBARD PARIS

TWO GERMAN AIRSHIPS DROP BOMBS ON FRENCH CAPITAL.

Comptelge, Ribecourt and Drelincourt Shell; Aeroplanes Drive Off Craft—Eight Are Hurt.

Paris, March 23.—The first Zeppelin raid on Paris was carried out early Sunday. Four bombs were dropped in the city and 13 in the suburbs. Seven or eight persons were injured, one seriously, but none fatally. The material damage was slight.

The raiders were driven off by French aeroplanes patrols and the fire of anti-aircraft guns. One of the raiders appeared to have been hit. In their retreat the raiders dropped bombs on Comptelge, Ribecourt and Drelincourt. Some were explosive and some of incendiary character. No damage was suffered at these places. Probably the most remarkable feature of the raid was the deportment of the population.

Warned of the coming of the Zeppelins, men and women clad in night attire flocked in gay and peculiar costumes from their sleeping apartments to the streets, or in the case of the more discreet, to the cellars of their homes. The discipline of the city's residents was marvellous. There was a complete absence of panic.

When the Zeppelins approached whistles were blown and the sleeping residents aroused, all lights were extinguished and when the raiders arrived over the city the capital was completely obscured.

There was a light westerly breeze blowing. The approach of the raiders was signalled from at least twenty places.

Half a dozen aeroplanes were wheeling upward to beat them off and high-angle guns were blazing from several different points.

It was the first appearance of an aeroplanes squadron, each machine flashing a small, but powerful, searchlight—that prevented the raiders from attacking the center of the city, with its historic monuments.

Everywhere the deportment of the people was remarkable. The "qui vive" lasted for three hours, the bugles rallying the people to bed again shortly after four o'clock. The danger was over.

## NEWS FROM FAR AND NEAR

Auburn, N. Y., March 23.—With a prayer on his lips Giuseppe Croso, twenty-three years old, was electrocuted for the murder of Mrs. Eugenia Rizzo in Buffalo a year ago.

## Zeppelin's Condition Serious

It Is Rumored That the Secretary of the Treasury Has Suffered a Relapse.

Washington, March 25.—The condition of Secretary of the Treasury McAdoo is "very serious," it was stated by his office on Tuesday. The grave rise to the report that the secretary suffered a relapse following his removal to his home from Providence hospital, where he was operated on for appendicitis. It was stated that the wound necessitated by the operation was performed under unfavorable conditions, as Mr. McAdoo had held out against it too long and his vitality was low following the winter's hard work.

## JAPANESE TROOPS IN CHINA

4,500 of the Mikado's Soldiers Reach Tsinan, Fangtze, Mukden and Dainy.

London, March 25.—A Reuter dispatch from Peking says that Japanese troops to the number of 1,000 have arrived at Tsinan, 600 at Fangtze, and 3,000 each at Mukden and Dainy.

## Wealthy Contractor Gone

Chicago, March 25.—The police are searching for Peter Diehl, a wealthy contractor of Menasha, Wis., who has been missing since Friday. He had a letter of credit for \$14,000 and several hundred dollars in cash.

## To Join the Sioux Tribe

San Francisco, March 25.—Vice-President Marshall has accepted an invitation to become a member of the Sioux Indian tribe. The invitation was extended on behalf of the Sioux nation by Chief Big Eye.

## Carranza's Troops Defeated

Montgomery, Mex., March 25.—The first important battle in General Villa's march against Tampico took place near here and resulted in a defeat for the adherents of Carranza. Two thousand were captured.

## Deep Snow in Texas

Longview, Tex., March 25.—Snow to the depth of three inches covers the ground of this section of Texas. Much damage has been done to peaches. This is the latest snow for this time of the year ever known here.

## Clarks Driven Out of Fire

St. Louis, March 25.—Fire, a score of visitors, including Speaker Champ Clark, Mrs. Clark and Miss Genevieve Clark, escaped unharmed when flames destroyed Lynde castle, a renowned hostelry here.

## Italy Suspends Railroad Traffic

London, March 24.—Italy's news agency dispatch from Rome, Italy, states that the Italian government has suspended all railroad traffic for the transportation of merchandise to Germany by way of Switzerland.

## REFUSES TO GIVE UP FOREST LAND

80-ACRE TRACT ASKED BY C. A. GOODYEAR CO. IN DEAL WITH STATE.

ADVANCE FAIR FUND REPEAL

Bill Providing for Attendance of Children Between Ages of 14 and 15 Years at Continuation Schools Is Passed.

Madison, March 25, 1915.

By a vote of 48 to 20 the assembly refused to concur in the Bennett bill, 34a, authorizing the C. A. Goodyear company to cut the timber from an eighty-acre tract of land, which, it was claimed, had been conveyed to the state by mistake in consideration of payment by the company to the state of \$1,000.

The bill as originally introduced in the senate provided no compensation, but was amended and passed by that body. It then went to the assembly for consideration. It then went to the joint committee on finance and that committee reported it to the assembly with a recommendation that it be not concurred in.

The bill provoked much discussion. It was supported by Messrs. A. E. Frederick, G. H. Hambrecht and A. J. Whitcomb and opposed by Messrs. Carl Hansen, W. Woodard, Edward Nordman, J. E. Oatis, H. J. Mortenson and Axel Johnson.

The Bradley bill repealing the act of 1913 appropriating \$250,000 to the state fair board was ordered to engrossment. Five other bills were ordered engrossed: Mr. Frederick's bill, 134a, relating to power of the railroad commission to regulate interference with telephone or telegraph service resulting from electric lines; Henry Hoffmann's, 173a, relating to highway taxes payable in labor; N. H. Falk's, 224a, relating to appeals from justice court in any city located in two counties; C. L. Kleinmiller's, 418a, relating to closed season for partridge; S. A. Schilders', 663a, relating to re-payment of money advanced for the surplus of mutual insurance companies.

This bill was given final passage after being ordered to engrossment.

William Arneimann's 420a, relating to fraternal insurance companies, was re-referred to committee with amendment D. L. Dobert's 385a, providing for attendance of children between the ages of 14 and 16 years at continuation schools was passed.

## Hazing Bill Re-Refered

The Culberson bill on hazing met opposition in Senator Burke, who did not like the bill in its present form and moved its reference to the committee on judiciary, which was done.

Among his bills was that of Senator Burke regarding the justices of the peace in Milwaukee, and his bill relating to jurisdiction of the Civil courts in Milwaukee. The senate concurred in the Lantz bill relating to the Herman Farmers' Mutual Insurance company and the Herzog bill relating to borrowing of money by town mutual insurance companies.

## Court's Ruling Saves Amendments

The supreme court removed all doubt of the legality of several constitutional amendments, which was raised when, recently, an amendment to the constitution was held to be unconstitutional. The court reversed the decision by a vote of 4 to 3, saving from possible contest such important amendments as: The primary election law, the income tax law and the measure creating the supreme court itself.

In the case of Postal vs. Marcus, in which the legality of the suffrage amendment was contested, it was held that the measure had never been spread at length upon the records of both houses.

## Refuse to Reduce Health Fund

The Bradley bill providing for cutting the annual appropriation of the state board of health from \$40,000 to \$20,000 was killed by the assembly after a lengthy debate by a vote of 72 to 13. The main source of the opposition to the indefinite postponement of the measure came from Assemblyman Hanson of Manitowish.

He argued that the board of health did not need the extra \$20,000 appropriation and that the board did not justify the force of men employed. Assemblyman Spoor of Green Lake made a vigorous appeal for the present board.

The Burke bill, repealing the law of 1913 appropriating \$50,000 for

## Shawano Medics Meet April 14

Shawano.—The Shawano County Medical society will hold its quarterly meeting in Shawano on April 14, and a banquet will be given at night. Visitors will be taken to the new \$22,000 theater.

## Orders Drink; Then Dies

Racine.—Ted Gargus, a Polish laborer, walked into a State street saloon and ordered a glass of beer. Before the bartender had served him he fell to the floor dead. Heart disease.

## Takes West Point Examination

Beloit.—Quartermaster Sergeant Edwin Crook, company L, a freshman in Beloit college, has returned from Fort Sheridan where he took the medical examination as a candidate for appointment to West Point.

## New Church for Menasha

Menasha.—The Episcopal church congregations of Menasha and Menasha have purchased the M. H. Ballou property in the latter city, the intention being to erect a church building thereon.

## Fire to Be Investigated

La Crosse.—J. F. Baker of Madison, assistant fire marshal, has been called here to sift the death of Eben Brensen and the fire which destroyed his home. Mr. Brensen carried \$14,000 insurance on his property and left an estate of \$17,000.

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Kenosha.—George Kosack, the alleged dynamiter, will have another trial, as the Supreme court of the state reversed the lower court in the case and ordered that Kosack be returned from the state prison, where he had served part of a term of five years.

Kosack was charged with transporting dynamite from Racine to Kenosha, with a view of blowing up the home of Jerry W. Decon, the general superintendent of the plant of the Thomas H. Jeffery company. Detectives of two men and the defense of the case and the evidence was declared to have been the most contradictory ever presented in a court in Wisconsin.

Kosack was a poor man, but it was declared that labor officials all over the country, but particularly in Chicago, had interested themselves in the case and furnished large sums of money for the employment of detectives and attorneys to handle the defense. The jury was out but a few minutes after the evidence had been presented and after a new trial had been denied Kosack was given a five year sentence.

Notwithstanding the order of the Supreme court it is declared to be very improbable that Kosack will be tried in this county again. The officials will make an effort to have the case transferred to some other county.

## AWARDED \$14,000 DAMAGES

7 Year Old Minnie Extra Wins Against Chicago and Milwaukee Electric Company.

Kenosha.—The biggest verdict in a personal injury suit ever filed in Kenosha county, was returned in the suit of Minnie Extra vs. the Chicago and Milwaukee Electric railway company. The child is 7 years of age and lost a foot as a result of being run down by a car on the lines of the defendant company.

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The verdict was a compromise. Attorneys for the company moved to have the verdict set



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Fifty thousand Austrian soldiers, 200 officers and nine generals threw down their arms and surrendered, worn to the last extremity by disease and hunger. The fall of the fortress is regarded in the West and London as the greatest victory for Russian arms since the beginning of the war.

Following up quickly the advantage gained by the capture of the Austrian stronghold, the Russian army has begun a gigantic battle along the Carpathian front. Russian forces have been rushed into the mountains in the expectation of the three principal passes, which are the three principal passes nearest Przemyśl, from which they are distant only about fifty miles.

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## GEN. BLANCO SLAIN

FORMER VILLA CABINET MEMBER SUFFERS DEATH AFTER A COURT-MARTIAL.

MATAMOROS FIGHT IS NEAR

Carranza's Enemies Marching on Border Port—Bryan Reassures Border Towns Men on Sisal—Port at Progreso Remains Open.

Washington, March 26.—Gen. Lucio Blanco, the "Phil" Sheridan of the Mexican revolutionists, so denominated because of his dashing qualities as a cavalryman, has been executed by a firing squad of Villa troops after trial on a charge of treason to the conventional government of Mexico.

The execution took place January 27 at Aguascalientes, but the facts were suppressed.

General Blanco was minister of the interior in the cabinet of Eulacio Guerrero, and was one of the cabinet leaders who accompanied the retiring provisional president when he fled from Mexico City. The others were Gen. Jose Ysobel Robles, minister of war, and Jose Vasconcellos, minister of education. All started for Toluca, but Blanco fled behind and was captured by Villistas.

Advices reaching the state department indicate that the Villa campaign against the border ports of Matamoros and Nueva Laredo is progressing rapidly. An attack on Matamoros is expected almost momentarily.

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## ZEPS BOMBARD PARIS

TWO GERMAN AIRSHIPS DROP BOMBS ON FRENCH CAPITAL.

Compiègne, Ribecourt and Dreuilincourt Shell; Aeroplanes Drive Off Craft—Eight Are Hurt.

Paris, March 25.—The first Zeppelin raid on Paris was carried out early Sunday. Four bombs were dropped in the city and 13 in the suburbs. Seven or eight persons were injured, one seriously, but none fatally. The material damage was slight.

The raiders were driven off by French aeroplane patrols and the fire of anti-airship guns. One of the raiders appeared to have been shot down.

In their retreat the raiders dropped bombs on Compiègne, Ribecourt and Dreuilincourt. Some were explosive and some of incendiary character. No damage was suffered at these places. Probably the most remarkable feature of the raid was the deportment of the population.

Warned of the coming of the Zeppelins, men and women clad in night attire flocked in gay and jocular professions from their sleeping apartments to the streets, or in the case of the more discreet, to the cellars of their homes. The discipline there was a complete absence of panic.

When the raiders approached whistles were blown and the sleeping residents aroused, all lights were extinguished and when the raiders arrived over the city the capital was completely obscured.

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**BABCOCK.**

—White setter with orange colored ears, and spot on tail near the base. Answers to name of "Jin." Reward for information or return. F. A. Stamm.

**MARKET REPORT.**

Pork, dressed	7 1/2-8
Veal	9-11
Beef	4 1/2-5 1/2
Hens	12-13
Spring chickens	12-13
Hay, timothy	\$10-11
Triumph Potatoes	22
Early Rose Potatoes	22
White Stock	22-23
Oats	60
Rye	1.11
Rye Flour	6.70
Patent Flour	7.05
Butter	22-25
Eggs, fresh	16
Hides	13

—Bargain prices, Daly's Theatre, best seats 16c if purchased before 7 p. m.

—Cus Kruschke and Harry Delap of Shennington are visiting at the Geo. Delap home this week.

Legal Blanks at the Tribune office.

## Grocery Specials for Easter

### Thursday, Friday and Saturday

SUGAR—With each \$1.00 purchase we will give 16 lbs. pure cane sugar. This is your last chance to buy sugar at such a low price.

Onions, 10 lbs. **25c**

Cocoa the best per lb. **23c**

Pork and Beans, extra good, large can **9c**

Mop Sticks, each **9c**

Tea, uncolored Japan 40c grade **33c**

Tea, uncolored Japan 60c grade **48c**

Coffee—Ask for Richeau, none better, few as good. Other coffee from 15c up to **40c**

Olives—Our line is complete 10 per cent discount on these days. **10c**

Mustard, extra large bottle **10c**

Dried Apples, per lb. **10c**

Dried Peaches **10c**

Prunes **9c**

Hams, per pound **10c**

Bacon, extra good, per lb. not sliced **19c**

Cranberries, 5 lbs. **19c**

Grandma's Washing Powder, large package **13c**

Cocoanut, 10c package **8c**

Cocoanut, 20c package **16c**

Peanuts, fresh roasted, per lb. **10c**

Syrup, per gallon **38c**

Pickles, dills, large and juicy, per dozen **10c**

Maple sugar, absolutely pure, per lb. **25c**

Oranges and apples of all kinds. Eggs clean and fresh for Easter morning. Canned goods. Beginning April 5th and ending April 12th we will give a 10 per cent discount on all canned goods. This is canned goods week thruout the U. S. Come in and see our line is all we ask.

Flour and Feed—A complete line of the best always on hand at prices to suit all.

See our Chick Feed and Calf Food. Fruits and vegetables of all kinds for your Easter Dinner

## NASH GROCERY CO.

TELEPHONE 550.

## ELECTION NOTICE

Office of the City Clerk, March 23, 1915.

To the Electors of Grand Rapids, Wisconsin:

Notice is hereby given that a municipal election is to be held in the several wards and election precincts in the city of Grand Rapids, on the sixth day of April, 1915, at which the officers named below are to be chosen. The names of the candidates for each office to be voted for whose nominations have been certified to this office, are given opposite to the title of the office, and under the proper party or other designations, each in its proper column, and the question submitted to a vote are as stated below:

Information to Voters.

The following instructions are given for the information and guidance of voters: (a) A voter upon entering the polling place and giving his name and residence, will receive a ballot from the ballot clerk which must have endorsed thereon the names or initials of both ballot clerks, and no other ballot can be used. Upon receiving this ballot, the voter must retire alone to a booth or compartment and prepare the same for voting. A ballot clerk may inform the voters to the proper manner of marking a ballot, but he must not advise or indicate in any manner whom to vote for.

(b) If a voter wishes to vote for all the candidates nominated by any party he shall make a cross or other mark under the party designation printed at the top of the ballot in the circle made for that purpose. A ballot so marked and having no other mark will be counted for all the candidates of that party in the column underneath, unless the names of some of the candidates of the party have been erased or a name shall be written in, or a cross mark be placed in the square at the right of the name or names of candidates in another column. If the voter does not wish to vote for all the candidates nominated by one party, he shall mark his ballot by making a cross or mark in the square at the right of the name of the candidate for whom he intends to vote or by inserting or writing in the name of the candidate.

(c) The ballot should not be marked in any other manner. If the ballot be spoiled, it must be returned to the ballot clerk, who must issue another in its stead, but no more than three in all shall be issued to any one voter. Five minutes time is allowed in booth to mark ballot. Unofficial or memorandum ballots, and may be used to copy from. The ballot must not be taken into the booth, and may be used to copy from. The ballot must not be shown so that any person can see how it has been marked by the voter.

(d) After the ballot is marked it should be folded so that the inside cannot be seen, but so that the printed indentations and signatures of the ballot clerks on the outside may be seen. Then the voter should pass out of the booth or compartment, give his name to the inspector in charge of the ballot box, hand him his ballot to be placed in the box and pass out of the voting place.

(e) A voter, who declares to the presiding officer that he is unable to read, or that by reason of physical disability he is unable to mark his ballot, can have assistance of one or two election officers in marking same, to be assisted by the voter; and if he declares that he is totally blind, he may be assisted by any person chosen by him from among the legal voters of the county. The presiding officer may administer an oath in his discretion as to each person's disability.

The candidates for the different offices are, for example, as follows:

FOR JUSTICE OF THE PEACE		INDEPENDENT	
		FRANK W. CALKINS	
FOR ALDERMAN First Ward		JOHN BAMBERG	Non-Partisan, (long term)
		JACOB BEVER	Non-Partisan, (long term)
		HERMAN SMITH	Non-Partisan (short term)
FOR SUPERVISOR First Ward		LEWIS SCHROEDER	Non-Partisan
FOR ALDERMAN Second Ward		HENRY F. GAULKE	Non-Partisan
		PETER McCAMLEY	Non-Partisan
FOR SUPERVISOR Second Ward		MICHAEL C. GEOGHAN	Non-Partisan
FOR ALDERMAN Third Ward		FREEMAN G. GILKEY	Non-Partisan
		HERMAN PLINKE	Justice to All.
FOR SUPERVISOR Third Ward		WILLIAM E. WHEELAN	Non-Partisan
FOR ALDERMAN Fourth Ward		FRED C. HENKE	Non-Partisan
		JOSEPH LUKASESKI	Non-Partisan
FOR SUPERVISOR Fourth Ward		ANDREW KING	Non-Partisan
		ALEXANDER HOMSYCK	
FOR ALDERMAN Fifth Ward		MICHAEL PILLOR	
		HERMAN RISTOW	Non-Partisan
FOR SUPERVISOR Fifth Ward		MAX WITROCK	Public Ownership of Public Utilities.
FOR ALDERMAN Sixth Ward		FRANK L. ROHRKE	Non-Partisan
		FRANK E. DAMON	Non-Partisan
FOR SUPERVISOR Sixth Ward		ALEX MINDAK	Non-Partisan
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**SARATOGA CENTER.**

March is ending with quite cold weather but we are aware of the fact that March is always trying to fool someone, coming in with its nice warm days, trying to make us believe that summer is near but however, do not be fooled and get out your cabbage plants for a while yet.

M. F. Mathews returned home Sunday after spending a week in Chicago visiting friends and taking in the sights. On his way back he stopped off in Milwaukee and accompanied C. E. Daly and wife home, the former having spent three weeks at the Sacred Heart Sanitarium for treatment.

Garrett Fox who has been working at Grand View for M. F. Mathews left for his home in Mehan Sunday.

John Kniprath is sawing wood in this vicinity.

Nels Jensen butchered a beef on Monday and took the same to Nekeosa.

I wonder how our Nekeosa friends like the bridge at this season of the year and especially some of those who live in the loop. It is a well known fact that one party from that section of Nekeosa was seen carrying freight across the bridge as a hand sled when the ice was not safe for a horse to travel on. Now Mr. are you not sorry that you were opposed to the bridge crossing the pond. But all there is for you to do now is to look back and see where you made at least one mistake in your life.

O. Inertson who spent the winter with his sister in Mt. Horeb is expected back in this vicinity soon.

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Mrs. John McCarthy has been quite sick since last Friday, at which time she suffered a stroke of paralysis.

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Glenn H. Williams and son of Lady-smith are spending a few days at the home of Atty and Mrs. Geo. L. Williams.

—That "Old and Mellow" Book Beer brewed by the Grand Rapids Brewing Co. is now ready for the trade. Phone for a case before it is all gone.

The many friends of Ed. Warner of the town of Rudolph will be pained to learn that he is gradually growing weaker from his illness and most of the time is in a comatose state.

J. Rember of Rushford, Minn., was in the city several days last week visiting at the home of his son, Alfred Rember, having come here to attend the funeral of his son's infant boy.

Will Boyce of Clinton, Iowa, is in the city for several days visiting among friends about town. Mr. Boyce is operating a marble works in Clinton and is prospering.

Louis Gross sold the Chris Hassel farm at Rudolph last week to a party from Arpin. This farm had been owned the past two months by the Grand Rapids Brewing Company.

At the meeting of the Mystic Workers held at their hall on Tuesday evening, eight new members were initiated. After the regular work refreshments were served and a very pleasant time was had.

Ray Rogers has purchased two lots from Charles Rofers, located just north of Riverview hospital, onto which he will move the old Gardner residence preparatory to building a new house there.

Best seats 10c at Daly's to night until 7 p. m. The main floor 20c, second floor 10c.

Henry Smallbrook, a resident of Vesper died on Monday after a sickness of a few days, cause of death being pneumonia. Deceased was 68 years of age and is survived by one daughter, Miss Mabel, and two sons, George of Grand Rapids and Henry of Vesper.

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E. F. Searls of Sherry purchased the Buick touring car of Lawrence Sharkey on Tuesday. Mr. Sharkey has purchased a six cylinder Pierce-Arrow touring car which he expects here within the next ten days.

Wm. Lackaye in the Pit at Daly's Saturday and Sunday.

Get in line with the big crowd and place your order for one of those fine tailor made suits for \$16.50 at the Peoples' Tailoring Co., west end of bridge. We are delivering the goods. Ask any of our old customers.

L. H. Hall of Wausau, who is establishing a salesroom for auto supplies in the Glasburg building on the corner of Second and Vine streets, arrived in the city on Tuesday and has since been placing his stock of goods in the building. He will handle automobile accessories of all kinds and bicycles and supplies.

**Death of Frank Cronk.**

Frank Cronk, a farmer resident of the town of Sigel, died on Monday following an operation in the Wausau hospital. The announcement of his death came as a great shock to his many friends as it was not generally known that he was seriously ill. The remains were brought to this city on Tuesday and were shipped to Eagle, Wis., the former home of the deceased.

Mr. Cronk recently bought the Matt Prince farm in the town of Sigel and was a man who was highly respected by all who knew him.

**Officers of Boat Club.**

At a meeting held on Monday evening the organization of a boat club was perfected and the following officers elected:

J. J. Jeffrey, president.

J. E. B. Beck, vice president.

Al. Alpine, vice president.

John Carigan, vice president.

Cesar Youngchild, vice president.

Kenneth McCumley, treasurer.

G. D. Fitzinger, secretary.

The annual dues have been placed at one dollar per year and it is expected that the club will have about fifty members.

**New Bus Here.**

Albert Waddvogel received his new auto bus on Tuesday which will be used in carrying passengers from the trains to the Hotel Dixon, Witer and Julian. The new bus is of the latest design, electrically lighted and is a beauty in fact, it is as nice as any city in the state can boast of. Albert can assure you of his new outfit.

Victor Maki was sentenced to two years in the Green Bay reformatory by Judge Park, having pleaded guilty to assaulting policeman Henry Oesrich at Marshfield on March 15th.

Mike Carey a former resident of this city, but who is now living in Park Falls is in the city for a visit with his brother, W. H. Curry.

**KELLNER.**

How would you feel with an Easter bonnet on these mornings.

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Mrs. Henry Osterman is at her brother Frank Whitlock's helping take care of the new Miss Vandugard home.

Miss Fay Gorkle, teacher of school in town of Grant visited her people in Stevens Point last Saturday and Sunday.

Anna Buss is in your city helping take care of Mrs. Annie Karsenbon who is quite sick.

A cattle buyer from near Junction City was around buying cattle last week and from the reports he bought a good number of them.

D. L. Ward was called to Stockholm Thursday by the sudden sickness of his father who passed away Friday. Bert returned home Tuesday morning.

Wm. Guldberg is putting up a large barn on his place out on the marsh.

Louise Hansen came home from your city Monday to recuperate her health.

Constance in town of Grant was quite excited last Friday and town meeting promises to be the same.

Cora Miller spent a few days at home last week.

Daly's Theatre this Saturday and Sunday, World Film Corporation presents Wilton Lackaye in the Pit, Wilton Lackaye's greatest stage triumph supported by Gail Kane and Milton Sills. This is one of the great set pictures we have shown do not miss it. All seats 10c, children 5c.

**WORK WANTED.**—For general house work. L. M. Mathis, corner Baker & 8th streets.

**AUTO FOR SALE.**—Five passenger Cadillac touring car at a bargain. Car recently overhauled and in the finest running order. A bargain if taken at once. Joe Slaby, the electrician.

**FORTY ACRE FARM.**—In the town of Rudolph, good buildings and good location. A. B. Sator, Tribune office.

## WANT COLUMN

**FOUND.**—A sum of money. Owner may have same by identifying it and paying for this advertisement, August Friday, 107 10th Ave. N. 11\*

**FOR SALE.**—Team of young mares 3 and 4 years old, one with foal. E. C. Wilke, R. No. 2, Grand Rapids Wis. 21\*

**FOR SALE (CHRYSLER).**—One whole black residence property, 4 houses. One 11 room house all modern conveniences, one 7 room house with gas connections. Address Mrs. P. G. Bepler, Nekeosa, Wis. 21.

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**FOR SALE.**—New disc grain drill, a good bargain. J. J. Lacey, R. R. 5, Grand Rapids, Wis. 21\*

**FOR SALE.**—40 acre farm, either 10, 20, 30 or 40 acres, 9 room house, located in city limits. Land has quarry of building rock, \$1200 wanted on city or farm property at 5 per cent. Mrs. Fred Schuler, R. D. 6, or Tribune office. 11\*

**FOR SALE.**—240 acre farm, rich clay loam, about 70 cleared, 170 heavy hardwood timber, seven room house, large barn, nice stream, about 5 1/2 miles from Pittsville, on main road. Price only \$5,200 if taken at once. Don't stop to write, come. O. J. Lau, City, R. 3. 11.

**FOR SALE.**—Good sound horse five years old, weight about 1200. A black stein cow to freshen in May, now top buggy and harness, about 20 Belgian Hares, cheap. Kenneth Buchanan, Arpin, Wis., R. 1. Apr. 7.

**WANTED.**—A fresh milch cow. E. W. Ellis, 1109 2d street south. 11.

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**FOR SALE.**—Large, fertile, hatchable eggs from rich, glowing red S. C. Rhode Island Reds, the dual purpose fowl. Good winter layers. Cockbirds average 8 to 10 lbs. pullets 6 to 8 lbs. Satisfaction guaranteed. Phone 761 or enquire at 975. Backer St. 41.

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Legal Blanks for sale here.

# EASTER APPAREL

## For WOMEN and CHILDREN

Style, elegance and economy are combined in our handsomely showing of everything that is new and popular for EASTER WEAR




### Style Craft Coats and Suits

in Covert Cloths, Chudahs and Poplins. The popular colors include Sand, Putty, Reseda, Greens, Blues, Blackchecks and Fancy Checks.

Coats and suits in large range from **\$7.50 to \$30**

Children's and Misses' coats from **\$1.98 to \$8.98**

Rain and auto coats with caps to match from **\$3.50 to \$12.50**

New flare or circular skirts from **\$3.50 to \$11.50**

New waists including embroidered voile in Putty shades at **\$2.00**

Silk waists at **\$1.50, \$2.50, \$2.98 and up.**

Silk Poplin dresses, black and colors at **\$8.75**

Children's dresses, pretty new effect from **50c to \$3.25**

New petticoats, elastic band, up from **\$1.69**

New shades received in silk and wool dress goods

Flowered Shadow Voiles and Reception Voiles at **35 and 45c**

Fibre silk hose, black white and colors at **50c**

Washable kid gloves, white and sand **\$1.65 to \$2.00**

Fabric or kid gloves in most complete assortment

Tipperary silk crepe handkerchiefs at **50 to 25c**

Tipperary veils at **50c and \$1.90**

New Easter neckwear just received.

Suede belts and bags in putty shades.

New bullet buttons in steel, white and black.

# W. C. WEISEL



BARBOCK. Mrs. T. Stiles left on Thursday for Rochester to undergo an operation at the Mayo Hospital. She was accompanied by her sister Miss Rose Plunkett and Mrs. Bowden who went to conduct the specialist. Mrs. Chas. Bowden is confined to her home with sickness. E. Miller has resigned his position with the Ward and will go west for a visit with his son Edgar who is employed as a fireman on the Puzos Sound at Mohrville, S. D. Mrs. E. VanWarmer was a visitor in Mrs. Lebon for a few days last week. There was quite a number from here attended the funeral of Chas. Hill on Friday. Mr. Morgan was a G. R. visitor on Saturday. Mrs. Wm. Charles of Marher was a visitor at the S. Griffith home last week. Legal Blanks at the Tribune office.

Lost Dog. —White setter with orange colored ears, and spot on tail near the base. Answer to name of "Jim." Reward for information or return. F. A. Stamm.

MARKET REPORT. Pork, dressed 7 1/2-8 1/2 Veal 4 1/2-5 1/2 Beef 4 1/2-5 1/2 Hens 12-13 Spring chickens 10-11 Hay, timothy 22-23 Triumph Potatoes 22-23 Early Rose Potatoes 22-23 White Stock 60-65 Oats 1.11-1.12 Rye 6.70-6.75 Patent Flour 7.95-8.00 Butter 22-24 Eggs, fresh 16-18 Hides 12-13

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Gas Kruecker and Harry Delap of Hennington are visiting at the Geo. DeLap home this week.

## Grocery Specials for Easter

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SUGAR—With each \$1.00 purchase we will give 16 lbs. pure cane sugar. This is your last chance to buy sugar at such a low price.

Onions, 10 lbs. 25c

Cocoa the best per lb. 23c

Pork and Beans, extra good, large can 9c

Mop Sticks, each 9c

Tea, uncolored Japan 40c grade 33c

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Coffee—Ask for Richelieu, none better, few as good. Other coffee from 15c up to 40c

Olives—Our line is complete 10 per cent discount on days. these

Mustard, extra large bottle 10c

Dried Apples, per lb. 10c

Dried Peaches 10c

Prunes 9c

Hams, per pound 10c

Bacon, extra good, per lb. not sliced 19c

Cranberries, 5 lbs. 19c

Grandma's Washing Powder, large package 13c

Cocoonut, 10c package 8c

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Peanuts, fresh roasted, per lb. 10c

Syrup, per gallon 38c

Pickles, dills, large and juicy, per dozen 10c

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Oranges and apples of all kinds. Eggs clean and fresh for Easter morning. Canned goods. Beginning April 5th and ending April 12th we will give a 10 per cent discount on all canned goods. This is canned goods week thruout the U. S. Come in and see our line is all we ask.

Flour and Feed—A complete line of the best always on hand at prices to suit all.

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### NASH GROCERY CO.

TELEPHONE 550.

## ELECTION NOTICE

Office of the City Clerk, March 23, 1915.

To the Electors of Grand Rapids, Wisconsin:

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Information to Voters.

The following instructions are given for the information and guidance of voters: (a) A voter upon entering the polling place and giving his name and residence, will receive a ballot from the ballot clerk which must have endorsed thereon the names or initials of both ballot clerks, and no other ballot can be used. Upon receiving this ballot, the voter must retire alone to a booth or compartment and prepare the name for voting. A ballot clerk may inform the voters to the proper manner of marking a ballot, but he must not advise or indicate in any manner whom to vote for.

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The candidates for the different offices are, for example, as follows:

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FOR JUSTICE OF THE PEACE	FRANK W. CALKINS
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Ray and Thomas Davis left for Wausau country last week to work. Lene Komatz returned home Saturday. She has been spending the winter in Grand Rapids.

Again the world's record for butter-fat production has been broken by the three-year-old Holstein-Friesian, Flandrine Hollings Payne, she having produced during the year 24,612.8 pounds milk and 1136.6 butter fat. Not only did she produce such an extraordinary amount of milk and fat but she gained 250 pounds in weight during the year. Hats off to the new world's dairy queen.

### SARATOGA CENTER.

March is ending with quite cold weather but we are aware of the fact that March is always trying to fool someone, coming in with its nice warm days, trying to make us believe that summer is near but however, do not be fooled and set out your cabbage plants for a while yet.

M. F. Mathews returned home Sunday after spending a week in Chicago visiting friends. He is taking in the sights. On his way back he stopped off in Milwaukee and accompanied C. E. Daly and wife home, the former having spent three weeks at the Sacred Heart Sanitarium for treatments.

Garrett Fox who has been working at Grand View for M. F. Mathews left for his home in Meehan Sunday. John Kniprath is sawing wood in this vicinity.

Male Jensen butchered a beef on Monday and took the same to Nekeosa.

I wonder how our Nekeosa friends like the bridge at this season of those who live in the loop. It is a well known fact that one party from that section of Nekeosa, was seen carting freight across the ice on a hand sled, when the ice was not safe for a horse to travel on. Now Mr. are you not sorry that you were opposed to the bridge crossing the ice to do now is to look back and see where you made at least one mistake in your life.

O. Inertson who spent the winter with his sister in Nekeosa is expected here in this vicinity soon.

Last night tonight, Dougherty Stock Co., bargain prices, 10c.

## EASTER APPAREL

For WOMEN and CHILDREN

Style, elegance and economy are combined in our handsome showing of everything that is new and popular for EASTER WEAR

Style Craft Coats and Suits

in Covert Cloths, Chudhads and Poplins. The popular colors include Sand, Putty, Reseda Greens, Blues, Blackchecks and Fancy Checks.

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Children's and Misses' coats from \$1.98 to \$8.98

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New flare or circular skirts from \$3.50 to \$11.50

New waists including embroidered voile in Putty shades at \$2.00

Silk waists at \$1.50, \$2.50, \$2.98 and up.

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Children's dresses, pretty new effect from 50c to \$3.25.

Fabric or kid gloves in most complete assortment

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Tipperary veils at 50c and \$1.00

New Easter neckwear just received.

Suede belts and bags in putty shades.

New bullet buttons in steel, white and black.

New petticoats, elastic band up from \$1.69

New shades received in silk and wool dress goods

Flowered Shadow Voiles and Reception Voiles at 35 and 45c

Fibre silk hose, black white and colors at 50c

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## WANT COLUMN

FOUND—A sum of money. Owner may have same by identifying it and paying for this advertisement, August 15th, 1915, 107 10th Ave. N.

FOR SALE—Team of young mares 3 and 4 years old, one with foal, E. C. Wilke, R. No. 2, Grand Rapids.

FOR SALE CHEAP—One whole block residence property, 4 houses, one 13 room house all modern conveniences, one 7 room house with gas connections. Address Mrs. D. G. Doppler, Nekeosa, Wis.

FOR SALE—Guinea fowls, also Barred Plymouth Rock eggs. Arthur Johnson, R. D. 2.

FOR SALE—Eggs for hatching from choice Barred Plymouth Rocks. Good laying strain, 75c per setting. Frank Hamlin, R. D. No. 2, Box 6, Grand Rapids, Wis.

FOR SALE—New disc grain drill, a good bargain. J. J. Lacey, R. R. 5, Grand Rapids, Wis.

FOR SALE—40 acre farm, either 20, 30 or 40 acres, 9 room house, located in city limits. Land has quarry of building rock. \$1200 wanted on city or farm property at 5 per cent. Mrs. Fred Schuler, R. D. 4, or Tribune office.

FOR SALE—240 acre farm, rich clay loam, about 1700, seven room house, large barn, nice stream, about 5 1/2 miles from Pittsville, on main road. Price only \$5200 if taken at once. Don't stop to write, come. J. L. Lea, City, R. 3.

FOR SALE—Good sound horse, 4 years old, weight about 1200. A Holstein cow to be freshen in May, new buggy and harness, also about 20 Belgian Hares, cheap. Kenneth Buchan, Arpin, Wis., R. 1.

WANTED—A fresh milk cow. E. W. Ellis, 1109 3d street south.

FOR SALE—Seven-eighths blood well marked Guernsey milk calf. W. E. Merrick, Route No. 5, Grand Rapids, Wis.

FOR SALE—Eggs for hatching, from thoroughbred Single Comb Black Minorcas and Buff Rocks, \$1.50 per setting. Mrs. F. W. Denton, Grand View Farm, Grand Rapids, Wis. Tel. 186, R. P. D. No. 8.

FOR SALE—Some No. 12 Golden Glow seed corn. Test 98 per cent. \$2.00 per bushel. Also some pure bred corn at farmers prices. Joe Reddin, R. D. 2, Pine View Farm.

FOR SALE—Light team of drivers harness and buggy cheap, if taken at once. Tony Edwards at Seward & Edwards Meat Market.

FOR SALE—Large, fertile, hatchable eggs from rich, glowing red S. C. Rhode Island Rocks, the dual purpose fowl. Good winter layers. Cockerels average 8 to 10 lbs. pullets 6 to 8 lbs. Satisfaction guaranteed. Phone 761 or enquire at 975 Baker St.

FOR SALE—4-year-old stallion, several young horses including two driving horses, also good second-hand auto. B. G. Eggert.

FOR RENT—Suite of modern offices over Daly's Drug Store.

FOR SALE—2-story building on 1st Ave. N. A good deal, if taken at once. Inquire at this office.

—Single Comb White Leghorns eggs for hatching. \$3.00 per 100, 75 cents per 10. Otto Neitzel, Grand Rapids, Wis.

FOR SALE—White oak fence posts, Bother Bros., R. D. 5 city.

FOR SALE—Pure bred Clydesdale 9 year old. Known as the Griffin horse. Walter Fischer, Grand Rapids, Wis. R. R. 5 Box 75.

Legal Blanks for sale here.

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## Just Arrived, New Ford Touring Car Now on Exhibition

You are going to be well pleased with the desirable changes which have been made in the body lines and with the new equipment which has been added. From a mechanical and serviceable standpoint the car is of the same high standard which has made it the universal car.

No Difference In Price

These new features are not effecting the price of the car to the owner. The Touring Car is \$490 and the Runabout \$440, these prices being f. o. b. Detroit. On August 1, 1915, in case the Ford Motor Co. sell 300,000 cars, having already sold over 145,000 each owner will receive a cash rebate from the Ford Motor Co. of from \$40 to \$60.

To The Buyer

Just think what these changes in the car and these low prices are going to mean to you. We have always been short of Ford cars every Spring. This year it is going to be harder than ever to make deliveries owing to the fact that the Ford Motor Co. hold aggregate orders from the warring nations of Europe for 70,000 which are to be used for hospital service and which must be delivered at once. We have no surplus stock from which to draw so we advise that you get your order in at once to assure you a delivery at the desired time. DON'T DELAY.

Come in to see the Car and talk it over.

**JENSEN'S GARAGE**  
106 Fourth Ave. S.  
GRAND RAPIDS, WISCONSIN

### REMINGTON.

Miss Rose Sanger and Miss Thyrta Hanson were Grand Rapids visitors Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. Anna Cummings and daughter, Mrs. Celia of Grand Rapids were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Lowe from Wednesday until Saturday.

Miss Minnie White departed for Grand Rapids on Saturday, March 27, where she will spend a couple of weeks visiting relatives.

The Catholic ladies of Babcock will hold their fair at Babcock on April 6th. Dinner at 12 o'clock, high mass at the church at 10 a. m. All are cordially invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronise and Infant son were guests at the Lowe home from Monday until Wednesday.

James F. Lowe returned home on Tuesday, March 23 from Grand Rapids where he visited with relatives a few days.

Adolph Sanger of Iowa is here visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. Sanger.

Miss Alice Casey who is teaching school at Sherry visited her parents here on Sunday, March 21.

J. F. Lowe is sawing wood at Daly this week.

### SARATOGA.

John Johnson who recently purchased the 80 acre Plainfield road cottage Chas. Dietrich and known as the Wolfert 80, has a fine large new barn almost enclosed and ready for the roof. He has also the rock and lumber for a new barn. Johnnie, is it "Bachelor's Haven," or "Home Sweet Home?"

We will leave a Saratoga town caucus Monday March 23. Will all the candidates please be on hand to see their names properly emblazoned on the ballot?

C. Beers of Knox, Ind., and Chicago, who has been spending some time with his daughter, Mrs. May, in Grand Rapids Wednesday last, was on his way home. He was hoping to get back to Knox in time to help vote the saloons out of Stork county.

### MERHAN.

Chas. Chusman went down to Valley Junction last week and drove back with a fine young horse and a new buggy which he purchased while there.

Mr. Carpenter of Grand Rapids visited his daughter Mrs. Wallace Slack here last week.

Art. Clendinning recently purchased a fine young valuable team of horses of Green Bros. of Stevens Point.

There will be a basket party at the home of B. S. Fox Thursday night, April 8th. Proceeds will be used to apply on the insurance of the church building.

Caucus for the town of Plover was well attended Saturday afternoon and much interest taken in nominating officers.

Chas. Lutz who has been located on his brother Henry's farm the last year moved last week to the Alvin Hucks farm.

Perry Smart came down here a couple weeks ago from his home in the northern part of the state and has been visiting friends. At present he expects to get a position with some of our farmers and spend the summer here.

Robert Slack who went west a couple years ago writes to friends that he is in good health and has headquarters at Washington, Wash., but like most other wandering youths has got enough of seeing wild cats and is coming back to settle down.

J. T. Fox is having quite a bad spell of rheumatism again this spring being confined to the house and bed for the last week.

Mrs. Hele and sons expect to move in the old Arpin house down on the Biron road sometime this week.

### NEW ROM.

The Doctor is at Fred Thomas' again treating him for rheumatism. We sincerely hope he will cure Fred.

Mrs. B. C. Christie returned from a visit with her brother Percy George, of Nekeosa, and W. H. George of Grand Rapids.

Mr. and Mrs. Rutherford Hayes of Monroe Center came to Fred Thomas' Sunday to have the Mrs. hands treated for eczema by the doctor who is there.

Miss Isabelle Thomas spent Sunday with Miss F. L. Loebe.

Mrs. Hazel Thomas spent Saturday and Sunday at her parents' home in B's Flats, H. W. Shipway.

Glen Jefferson is working for Will Leece this week.

Chas. Disballeau left Monday for Kansas.

Joe Zajic visited his nephew at Necedah Sunday.

### SOUTH ARPIN.

Mr. G. Duchow had some hay baled last week. Albert Elmer of Arpin did the work. Mr. Duchow also loaded a couple of cars of baled hay last week.

Timothy Winn, who is employed in Columbus, Wis., is spending a few days at the Krause home. Those who knew Tim before he left say he is the same as ever.

Carl Scheneman is the proud owner of a new top buggy. Girls, here's your chance.

Joseph Krause and Timothy Nimm called at the Peterson home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ford Kegler and daughter Olga spent Sunday afternoon at the Fred Mueller home.

Guy Martin left last week for Columbus where he will be employed the coming summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Scheneman Jr. moved on the farm with the latter's father Mr. G. Duchow.

Doris Gronemeyer and Hazel Martin attended the church at Pleasant Hill Sunday.

### SARATOGA.

Mrs. Tim Smith and two children of Plainfield spent last week at the Jim Knutson home.

Mike Mathews was a Chicago visitor last week.

James Johnson was at Junction City on business one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. McCrossin of Milwaukee visited at the home of the latter's mother, Mrs. K. F. Knutson one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Peterson Jr. spent the past week at Grand Rapids.

Miss Clara Belasop of Grand Rapids is doing Gader work in School district No. 1.

Doris Gronemeyer and Hazel Martin attended the church at Pleasant Hill Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Knutson mourned the loss of their infant daughter who died Saturday, March 27th.

Miss Minnie Ross of Grand Rapids visited over Sunday at the M. P. Johnson home.

Unclean milk, coffee, tea, beer, hot breads, fried food, pickles, cake, candy and soothing syrups are baby killers.

### SIGEL.

The funeral of Mrs. John Jacobson who died on Tuesday night, March 23rd occurred here on Friday. Rev. Nordling of Grand Rapids officiated. Funeral services were held at the Swedish Lutheran church with interment at the Forest Hill cemetery at Grand Rapids.

Miss Jacobson was born in Finland and has been in this country for fourteen years and was at her death, 62 years of age. The nearest relatives who mourn her death are her husband and five children. They are Mrs. Leo Anderson, Mrs. Abner, Eric and Ida, all of Sigel, and a sister living at Frankfort, Mich. The bereaved family have the sympathy of this community.

An Easter program given by the Sunday school children will be held Sunday afternoon. All are invited. Sam Nyström who is employed at Sherry spent last week here with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kronstedt will entertain the Bethany young peoples meeting at their home on Thursday night, April 15th.

Mrs. Victor Kronstedt came home on Saturday from Merrill where she has been a guest of relatives for a few days.

Mrs. Bushmaker is reported to be seriously ill. Dr. Jackson is the attending physician.

Mrs. John Nelson of Grand Rapids visited at the Olsen and Holstrom homes last week.

Nels Nelson of Sheridan and Claus Johnson of Grand Rapids were over Sunday guests at the Gust Anderson home.

Miss Mary Anderson is spending the week visiting her sister in your city.

### SARATOGA.

We understand John Peterson is negotiating for the purchase of the east 80 of the old Arpin place now owned by Geo. T. Rowland.

Riddle—Will Mike have "company" when he returns from his visit to Mr. Chas. Daly in Milwaukee and beyond?

Mr. and Mrs. Knutson who recently lost their home by fire propose entering an Old People's Home.

We extend our sympathy to the bereaved family of John Kniprath, whose infant died Saturday morning, March 27th.

Mrs. Fred Kluge, living on the Albert Koch farm, is very sick, having been confined to bed for over two weeks. We have not learned the attending physician's name nor the cause of the trouble, but understand one of the neighbors has diagnosed it as pneumonia.

All who are able to attend are eagerly enjoying some of the religious talks by two traveling preachers. We have not learned their names, but only that they refuse contributions, call the Union Church the "House" claim no preacher should be married or should have any money paid him and that a man's church is his home.

We agree with them there the we have a great liking as these two evangelists seem to have to have a large building where crowds may congregate and exchange religious views. We will even go further, saying that a man's religion is his life and "by their fruits shall ye know them."

And then, after all has been said what is a name? The proof of the pudding is in the eating, and it is not the name which counts. It is the man's religion which counts.

Ed. Riley who left his farm, the Ed. Blair place, to accept the Manager's position on the McClure Ranch, has decided to return to his own and has ordered Joe Davis Chet Jones and Bill Wilson to vacate.

Mr. Davis and Mr. Wilson were in our locality one day the past week looking for a suitable place for their families and herds. We have not learned if they were successful or if they abandoned the search in Saratoga. To tell the truth, there are very few vacant places at present in Saratoga.

### PLEASANT HILL.

Fred Pomke made a trip to Vedum Sunday, where he will set up his saw mill after getting thru with the sawing here.

Mrs. E. Christensen and son Edmond were visitors at Grand Rapids Thursday.

Mrs. Geo. Andrus was quite sick with pleurisy last week but is on the mend now.

T. H. Likke, Kent Zellmer and H. Pinning attended the Holstein meeting at Vesper last week.

Messrs. E. Christensen Sr., P. H. Likke and Edward Christensen Jr. attended the Auction near Arpin last week.

Mrs. Likke's Sunday school class contest stands as follows. Reds \$80, points, Blues 710.

Kent Zellmer left Saturday for—well we won't say where, but he got back Monday.

Our motor cycle riders were out Sunday for the first time this spring. Mr. and Mrs. Otto Erdman are rejoicing over a baby girl born last Friday.

Miss Gertrude Moon is assisting Mrs. Geo. Andrus with her work this week.

Bernice Van Natta had a gentleman caller from Chicago last Tuesday evening.

Henry Baade is making arrangements to build a large dairy barn this season.

Will Hahn has the brick hauled for the veneer on his house.

Nick Gauthier has the tile hauled for his silo.

Thos. Andrus is very low at this writing and fears are entertained for his recovery.

Henry Simonsen went to Vesper to assist L. Johnson finish sawing lumber.

Misses Doris Gronemeyer, and Martin visited Sunday with Nina Johnson.

Robert Robertson south of here, who came home after being away to Iowa for over a year, has been working.

The drillers at H. Heideberg's have their first log of sapling cut and so far have been able to get it loose.

W. Zuelke is tearing down his old log house. He will erect an addition to his home this coming summer.

Monroe Hurn's baby was quite sick with convulsions one night last week but is O. K. at present.

Mr. H. Miller will work for his brother-in-law A. Herberg this summer. His brother returned to his home last week.

### BIRON.

Dat Passaneau was in our berg Sunday afternoon. He took his son John home and also John's little son Johnnie. The little boy is natural and has a leg and has to wear splints. He can walk alright, but he will never be able to use that leg without splints. Too bad, for he is a very nice little fellow. Everybody feels sorry for the poor kid, who is only 3 years old.

Arthur Clark and family stayed at the A. L. Akey home Sunday night having had their household goods packed ready for shipping to Rudolph.

Ellen DeLars went to your city Saturday to spend Sunday at the home of her mother and family and grandpa Bates.

Pearl Akey came home Friday night same as usual and went back to your city Sunday night.

Arthur Clark has moved back to Rudolph to take charge of the telephone line at that place. We don't like to see Arthur go, for he was a good little man at anything he was working with the head pipe-fitter where he left.

Henry Blumhese was in our berg one day the past week taking in the sights.

Steve Snyder has written out four pages the past week for some of the young men at the mill. They are insured in the Green Bay accident and sickness association.

Mrs. Francis Biron was on the sick list the past week.

Joe Fohart had his buggy painted over and it looks just like a new one.

Mr. Hacking went to LaCrosse a few days the past week for a visit with his people.

N. A. Sipe was in your city one day the past week.

Miss Genevieve Gaffney came home Friday to spend Sunday with her parents in our berg Mr. and Mrs. Burt Gaffney.

Percy Kemperli comes on the farm once in awhile to see how Ed Alwood is getting along with his new job.

Allred Drys Sundayed at Rudolph with his folks and came back Sunday night.

The party at Mr. and Mrs. Albert Ittman's given in honor of their son Milton, if being his 15th birthday was attended by a large crowd. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Johnson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Dohls and family and Mrs. Frank Kohnen, Mrs. Beryl Cook, Miss Katie Kohnen, Miss Pauline Johnson and Miss Hannah, all of whom report having had a grand old time.

Fred and Joe Ittmer was in your city last Thursday. Joe went to the doctor about his sore hand. The doctor told him blood poison had set in and then dressed the hand for him. Joe will have to be very careful if he wishes to come out all right.

Harry Peterson was in your city one day the past week and ordered a launch. Look out for Harry this summer.

Joe Klappa and wife were in your city Friday shopping.

Henry Lapele was in your city the past week taking in the sights.

Ed. Smith was at the Rapids on Thursday on business.

Emil Allan, Jeff Akey, Douglas Groskopf were in your city the past week doing some trading.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Snyder were in your city the past week doing some shopping.

Too Love, our paymaster was in our berg Thursday being payday.

Mr. Lambertson is doing a lot of day work for the people in our berg. Mr. Lambertson is quite a handy man just the same.

Mr. R. H. Colby is a going to resign his position as bookkeeper the first of April. Mr. Colby has not decided as yet what he will do next.

Wm. Hamm opened the gates at the dam the past week by motor de-

Jeff Akey was at Mosinee Saturday and Sunday to visit his sisters Mrs. Eugene Croteau and the W. J. F. family. Jeff came back Monday noon.

Reinhold Krieger who went to Milwaukee for treatment in a hospital there is back to his work again. Mr. Krieger was a very sick man.

August Kemperli has gone or is soon to leave for Minnesota where he has accepted a position in a paper mill as superintendent. Mr. Kemperli has had two or three changes to choose from. He is a good man at that job and will have no trouble to handle it for he has held the same position two or three different times.

A. L. Akey was in your city a few days the past week.

John Passaneau went to your city Saturday night to spend Sunday at home with his father and family, also look after his little boy.

Quite a few of our boys in the yard have quit their job. Joe Ebacher has but a few men left and it is just as well maybe, because the pulp wood is not coming in very fast.

John Bengert, our water boy at the mill is now working in the pulp mill as roll skinner.

Miss Benny Biron of Amherst is at home in our berg for a week or so to care for her mother who has been on the sick list the past week.

Mrs. W. O. Barton was in your city the past week shopping.

Joe Reimer got his hand hurt again the past week while grinding a chip.

T. H. Likke, Kent Zellmer and H. Pinning attended the Holstein meeting at Vesper last week.

Joe Klappa was in your city one day the past week on business.

Basil and Odell Rocheleau are busy now days hauling chiders away from the mill.

Someone said that Fred Shank had the typhoid fever the past week and some of them said, no, Fred is working, it's the Ford Fever he has just now.

Miss Agnes Galsanski of the South Side was in our berg the past week at the home of her brother Andrew for a visit.

There was a party the past week at the C. A. Sipe home. The evening was pleasantly spent playing cards there being twenty ladies present. Refreshments were served and all reported a good time had.

Mrs. Andrew Galsanski was on the sick list the past week.

Henry Alpine of your city was at the mill one day the past week shaking hands with old time friends.

Wm. Hamm who works on the dam says that the water is raising right along, that is, the past week any way.

Mrs. Charles Cummings was in your city Saturday shopping.

Geo. Benson of Mechan was in our berg last Tuesday with a load of potatoes for Mrs. J. T. Herron and A. L. Akey.

George Richards went home in your city for an exercise.

Ernest Schrieber was in Milwaukee the past week on business.

Arvid Riemer resigned his job at the mill as grinner, he says he was too fat to run grinders.

Mrs. R. H. Colby drove to your city one day the past week with the Albert Zager rig.

Miss Dora Riemer and brother Edward were in your city Monday.

### TRAVEL.

All travel has its advantages. If the traveler visits better countries he may learn to improve his own, and if fortune carries him to worse he may learn to enjoy his own.—Johnson.

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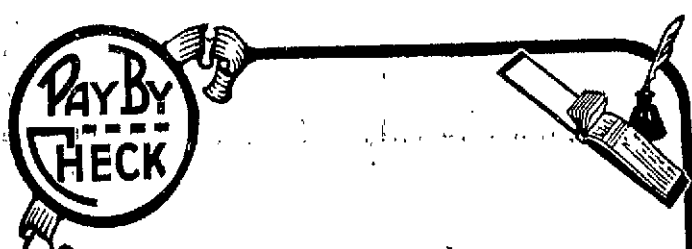
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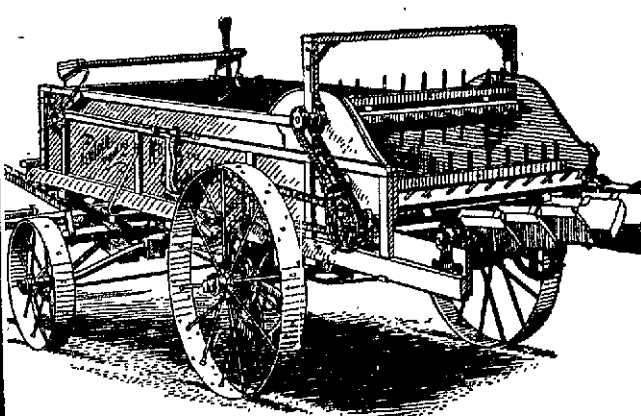
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## REMINGTON.

Miss Rose Sanger and Miss Thyrha Hanson were Grand Rapids visitors Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. Anna Cummings and daughter Calla of Grand Rapids were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Lowe from Wednesday until Saturday.

Miss Minnie White departed for Grand Rapids on Saturday, March 27, where she will spend a couple of weeks visiting relatives.

The Catholic ladies of Babcock will hold their Fair at 10 o'clock, high April 6th. Dinner at 2 p. m. All must be at the church at 10 a. m. All are cordially invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronlee and infant son were guests at the Lowe home from Monday until Wednesday.

James F. Lowe returned home on Tuesday, March 23 from Grand Rapids where he visited with relatives a few days.

Adolph Sanger of Iowa is here visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. Sanger.

Miss Alice Casey who is teaching school at Sherry visited her parents here on Sunday, March 22.

J. P. Lowe is sawing wood at Daily this week.

## SARATOGA.

John Johnson who recently purchased the 80 on the Plainfield road, the Wolcott Chas. Dietrich and known as the Wolfert 80, has a fine large new barn almost ready for the roof. He has also the rock and lumber for a new house. Johnnie, is a "Bachelor's Haven," or "Home Sweet Home."

We will leave a Saratoga town caucus Monday, March 22. Will all the candidates please be on hand to see their names properly emblazoned on the ballot?

C. Rogers of Knox, Ind., and Chicago, who has been spending some time with his daughter, Mrs. Margery was in Grand Rapids Wednesday last week on his way home. He was hoping to get back to Knox in time to join the saloons out of Stork county.

## MECHAN.

Chas. Chusman went down to Valley Junction last week and drove back with a fine young horse and a new buggy which he purchased while there.

Mr. Carpenter of Grand Rapids visited his daughter Mrs. Wallace Slack here last week.

Art Glendinning recently purchased a fine young valuable team of horses of Green Bros. of Stevens Point.

There will be a basket party at the home of D. S. Fox Thursday night, April 8th. Procs. will be used to apply on the insurance of the church building.

Cautus for the town of Plover was well attended Saturday afternoon and much interest taken in nominating officers.

Chas. Lutz who has been located on his brother Henry's farm the last year moved last week to the Alvin Hucks farm.

Perry Smart came down here a couple weeks ago from his home in the northern part of the state and has been visiting friends. At present he expects to get a position with some of our farmers and spend the summer here.

Robert Smith who went west a couple years ago writes to friends that he is in good health and has headquarters at Washburn, Minn., but like most other adventurous youths has got enough of touring wild outlands and is coming back to settle down.

J. T. Fox is having quite a bad spell of rheumatism again this spring, being confined to the house and bed for the last week.

Mrs. Hale and sons expect to move in the old Arpin house down on the Biron road sometime this week.

## NEW ROME.

The Doctor is at Fred Thomas' again treating him for rheumatism. We sincerely hope he will cure Fred. Mrs. B. C. Barthe returned from a visit with her brother Percy George of Nekeosa and W. H. George of Grand Rapids.

Mr. and Mrs. Rutherford Hayes of Monroe Center came to Fred Thomas' Sunday to have the Mrs. hands treated for eczema by the doctor who is there.

Miss Isabelle Thomas spent Sunday with Miss Fay Leese.

Mrs. Hazel Thomas spent Saturday and Sunday at her parents' home in B. G. Flats, H. W. Shipway.

Glen Jefferson is working for Will Leese this week.

Chas. Disbaleau left Monday for Kansas.

Joe Zallo visited his nephew at Necedah Sunday.

## SOUTH ARPIN.

Mr. G. Duchow had some hay baled last week. Albert Elmer of Arpin did the work. Mr. Duchow also loaded a couple of cars of baled hay last week.

Timothy Winn, who is employed in Columbus, Wis., is spending a few days at the Kraus home. Those who know Tim before he left say he is the same as ever.

Carl Scheueman is the proud owner of a new top buggy. Girls, here's your chance.

Joseph Krause and Timothy Ninn called at the Peterson home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ford Kegler and daughter C. Fred Mueller home.

Guy Martin left last week for Columbus where he will be employed the coming summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Scheueman Jr. moved on the farm with the latter's father Mr. G. Duchow.

Doris Gronemeyer and Hazel Martin attended the church at Pleasant Hill Sunday.

## SARATOGA.

Mrs. Tim Smith and two children of Plainfield spent last week at the Jim Knutson home.

Mike Mathews was a Chicago visitor last week.

James Johnson was at Junction City on business one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. McCrossin of Milwaukee visited at the home of the later's mother, Mrs. K. F. Knutson one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Peterson Sr. spent the past week at Grand Rapids.

Miss Clara Belner of Grand Rapids is doing Cadet work in School district No. 3, and Miss Olive Eichhorn is at the same school.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kniprath mourn the loss of their infant daughter who died Saturday, March 27th.

Miss Minnie Ross of Grand Rapids visited over Sunday at the M. P. Johnson home.

Unclean milk, coffee, tea, beer, hot breads, fried food, cakes, candy and soothing syrups are baby killers.

## SIGEL.

The funeral of Mrs. John Jacobson who died on Tuesday night, March 22nd, occurred here on Friday. Rev. Jording of Grand Rapids officiated. Funeral services were held at the Swedish Lutheran church in the Forest Hill cemetery at 10 a. m. Mrs. Jacobson was born in Finland, and has been in this country for fourteen years and was at her death, 62 years of age. The nearest relatives who mourn her death are her husband and five children. They are Mrs. Lee Anderson, John, Albert, Eric and Ida, all of Sigel, and a sister living at Frankfort, Mich. The bereaved family have the sympathy of this community.

An Easter program given by the Sunday school children will be held at the Swedish Lutheran church on Sunday afternoon. All are invited. Sam Nyström, who is employed at Sigel, spent last week here with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kronstet will entertain the Sunday young peoples meeting at their home on Thursday night, April 15th.

Mrs. Victor Kronheim came home on Saturday from Merrill where she has been a guest of relatives for a few days.

Mrs. Gustafson is reported to be seriously ill. Dr. Jackson is the attending physician.

Mrs. Julius Nelson of Grand Rapids visited at the Olsen and Holstrom home last week.

Nels Nelson of Sheridan and Claus Johnson of Grand Rapids were Sunday guests at the Gust Anderson home.

Miss Mary Anderson is spending the week visiting her sister in your city.

## SARATOGA.

We understand John Peterson is negotiating for the purchase of the east 80 of the old Finley place now owned by Geo. T. Rowland.

Will Miller have "company" when he returns from his visit to Mr. Chas. Dale in Milwaukee and beyond?

We are informed Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Antesson who recently lost their home by fire propose entering an Old People's Home.

We extend our sympathy to the bereaved family of John Kniprath, whose infant died Saturday morning, March 27th.

Mrs. Fred Kluge, living on the Albert Koch farm, is very sick, having been confined to her bed for over two weeks. We have not learned the attending physician's name, nor the cause of the trouble, but understand one of the neighbors has diagnosed it as pneumonia.

All who are able to attend are nightly enjoying some fine religious talks by two traveling preachers. We have not learned their names, but only have not learned their surnames, call that the Lutheran Church "House" claim to be. The Rev. Mr. Peterson, a local preacher should be married or should have any money paid him and that a man's church is his home.

We agree with him in that there we have a great thing as these two evangelists seem to have to have a large building where crowds may congregate and exchange religious views. We will even go further than that. We have been quoted to us, and preachers have been quoted to us, and say a man's religion is his life and "by their fruits shall ye know them."

And then, after all that, the proof of what's in a name, and if a pudding is in the eating, and if a man's life aligns with his conscience, is very little.

Ed. Riley who left his farm, the Ed. Riley place, to accept the Manager's place on the John McGirr Ranches position on the John McGirr Ranches decided to return to his own and ordered Joe Davis Chet Jones and Bill Wilson to vacate.

Mr. Dan and Mr. Wilson were in our locality one day the past week looking for a suitable place for their families and herds. We have not learned if they were successful or if they abandoned the search in Saratoga. Tell the truth, there are very few vacant places at present in Saratoga.

We note Geo. Rowe of Saratoga enter is quite a regular attendant at the "Home." To see him leading his mule with wife and child riding is an almost comical reminder of an event over 1500 years old.

Nels Engstrom of 1 1/2 mile creek has attended some of the meetings at Union Chapel now sometimes called the "Home."

Mrs. Thomas Chrystal and son John were in attendance at the "Home" one night last week.

We note Tom Chrystal is busy. It must be about 40 acres he is getting ready for the plow. What is it Tom only better pasture alfalfa or are you going to be Len Starks the second, aine the New Potato King?

## PLEASANT HILL.

Fred Fenske made a trip to Veedum Sunday, where he will set up his saw mill after getting thru with the sawing here.

Mrs. E. Christensen and son Edmond were visitors at Grand Rapids Thursday.

Mr. Geo. Andrus was quite sick with pleurisy last week but is on the mend now.

P. H. Likes, Kent Zellmer and H. Pining attended the Holstein meeting at Veedum last week.

Messrs. E. Christensen Sr., P. H. Likes and Edward Christensen Jr. attended the Auction near Arpin last week.

Mrs. Likes' Sunday school class contest stands as follows. Reds 880 points, Blues 110.

Kent Zellmer left Saturday for well we won't say where, but he got back Monday.

Our motor cycle riders were out Sunday for the first time this spring.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Erdman are rejoicing over a baby girl born last week.

Miss Gertrude Mabey is assisting Mrs. Geo. Andrus with her gentleman caller from Chicago last Tuesday evening.

Henry Baade is making arrangements to build a large dairy barn this season.

Will Hahn has the brick hauled for the veneer on his house.

Nick Gauthier has the tile hauled for his stable.

Thos. Andrus is very low at this writing and fears are entertained for his recovery.

Henry Simonsen went to Vesper to assist L. Johnson finish sawing lumber.

Misses Doris Gronemeyer, and Marion visited Sunday with Nina Johnson.

Robert Robertson south of his home returned after being away to Toronto for over a year where he has been working.

The drillers at H. H. H. have been their drill last week 60 feet, and so far have been unable to get it loose.

W. Zuelke is tearing down his old log house. He will erect an addition to his home this coming summer.

Monroe Hunt's baby was quite sick with convulsions one night last week but is O. K. at present.

Mr. E. Miller will work for his brother-in-law A. Harberg this summer. His brother returned to his home last week.

## BIRON.

Bar Passaneau was in our berg Sunday afternoon. He took his son John home and also John's little son Johnnie. The little boy is paralyzed in one leg and has to wear splints. He can walk alright, but he will not be able to use that leg without splints. Too bad, for he is a very nice little fellow. Everybody feels sorry for the poor kid, who is only 8 years old.

Arthur Clark and family stayed at the A. L. Akey home Sunday night. They had their household goods packed ready for shipping to Rudolph.

Ellen DeMark went to your city Saturday to spend Sunday at the home of her mother and family and grandma Bates.

Pearl Akey came home Friday night same as usual and went back to your city Sunday morning to Rudolph to take charge of the telephone line at that place. We don't like to see Arthur go, for he was a good little man at any thing he was working with an head pipe-fitter when he left.

Henry Blinnhouse was in our berg one day the past week taking in the sights.

Steve Snyder has written out four policies the past week for some of the young men at the mill. They are insured in the Green Day accident and sickness association.

Mrs. Francis Blinnhouse was on the sick list the past week.

Joe Eckhart had his buggy painted over and it looks just like a new one.

Mr. Hacking went to LaCrosse a few days the past week for a visit with his people.

S. A. Sipe was in your city one day the past week.

Miss Genevieve Gaffney came home Friday to spend Sunday with her parents in our burg Mr. and Mrs. Gaffney.

Perry Kempfert goes on the farm once in awhile to see how Ed Atwood is getting along with his new job. Alfred Hays Sundayed at Rudolph with his folks and came back Sunday night.

The party at Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hamm's given in honor of their son Milton, who is being his fifth birthday was attended by a large crowd. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. John Johnson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Dobbs and family and Mrs. Johnnie Kohonen, Mrs. Roy Conon and family, Johnnie Johnson and Miss Katie Hamm, all of whom report having had a grand old time.

Fred and Joe Elmer were in your city last Thursday night. The doctor told him blood poison had set in and then dressed the hand for him. Joe will have to be very careful if he wishes to come out all right.

Harry Peterson was in your city one day the past week and ordered a launch. Look out for Harry this summer.

Joe Klappa and wife were in your city Friday shopping.

Henry Lipsitz was in your city the past week taking in the sights.

Ed. Smith was at the Rapids on Thursday on business.

Emil Brown, Jeff Akey, Douglas Christoff were in your city the past week doing some trading.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Snyder were in your city the past week doing some shopping.

Joe Love, our paymaster was in our berg Thursday being payday.

Mr. Lamberton is doing a lot of dry work for the people in our berg. Mr. Lamberton is quite a handy man just the same.

Mr. H. Colby is a going to resign his position as bookkeeper the first of April. Mr. Colby has not decided as yet what he will do next.

Wm. Hannin opened the gates at the dam the past week by motor device. Mr. Hannin says that it works to perfection.

Jeff Akey was at Mosinee Saturday and Sunday to visit his sisters Mrs. Eugene Crotien and the W. J. Pottbart families. Jeff came back Monday noon.

Reinhold Krieger who went to Hospital for treatment in a mill was back to his work again. Mr. Krieger was a very sick man.

August Kempfert is gone or is soon to leave for Minnesota where he has accepted a position in a paper mill as superintendent. Mr. Kempfert has had two or three chances to quit that job from. He is a good man at that job and will have no trouble to handle it for he has held the same position two or three different times.

A. L. Akey was on the sick list a few days the past week.

John Passaneau went to your city Saturday night to spend Sunday at home with his father and family, also look after his little boy.

Quite a few of the boys in the yard have quit their job. Joe Ebacher has but a few men left and it is just as well maybe, because the pulp wood is not coming in very fast.

John Bengert, our water boy at the mill is now working in the pulp mill as roll skinner.

Miss Bonny Biron of Anherst is at home in our berg for a week or so to care for her mother who has been on the sick list the past week.

Mrs. W. O. Barton was in your city the past week shopping.

Joe Reimer got his hand hurt again the past week while grinding a chisel. He got part of one knuckle scraped off on the emery wheel.

Joe Klappa was in your city one day the past week on business.

Basil and Odell Rochdale are busy now days hauling clinders away from the mill.

Some one said that Fred Shank had the typhoid fever the past week and some of them said, no, Fred is working, it's the Ford Fever he has just now.

Miss Agnes Galsanski of the South Side was in our berg the past week at the home of her brother Andrew for a visit.

There was a party the past week at the C. A. Sipe home. The evening was pleasantly spent playing cards there being twenty ladies present. Refreshments were served and all report a good time had.

Mrs. Andrew Galsanski was on the sick list the past week.

Henry One of your city was at the mill one day the past week shaking hands with old time friends.

Wm. Hamm who works on the dam says that the water is raising right along, that is, the past week any way.

Mrs. Charles Cummings was in your city Saturday shopping.

Geo. Benson of Meehan was in our berg last Tuesday with a load of potatoes for Mrs. J. T. Herron and A. L. Akey.

George Richards went home in your city for an exercise.

Ernest Schrieber was in Milwaukee the past week on business.

Archie Riemer resigned his position at the mill as grinder man. Archie says he was too fat to run four grinders.

Mrs. R. H. Colby drove to your city one day the past week with the Albert Zager rig.

Miss Dora Riemer and brother Edward were in your city Monday.

Travel.

All travel has its advantages. If the traveler visits the better countries he may learn to improve his own, and if fortune carries him to worse he may learn to enjoy his own.—Johnson.

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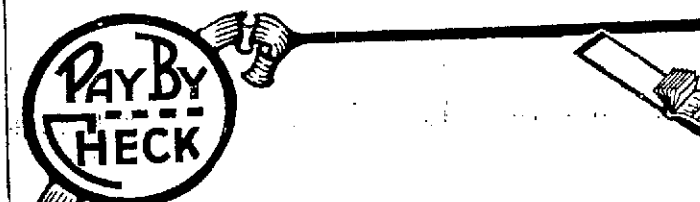
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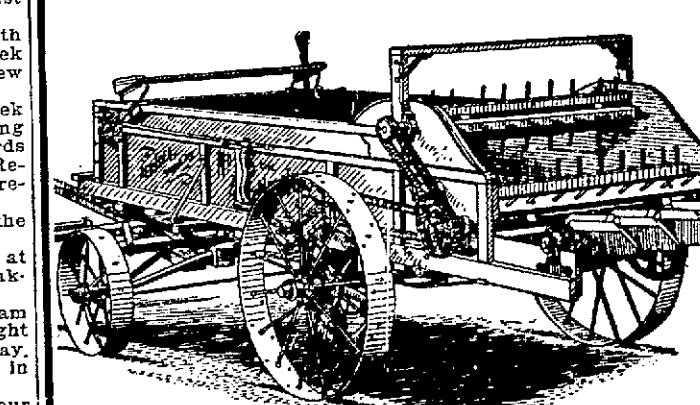
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## LOCAL ITEMS.

—For Taxi service call up Fred Mosher, phone 624.

Valmo Busch, of Bakerville was a business visitor at the court house on Monday.

O. G. Malde of Cranmoor was among the business callers at the Tribune office on Monday.

Atty. E. C. Pers and C. E. Edwards of Marshfield were in the city on legal business on Monday.

Prof. M. H. Jackson returned on Monday from Marshfield where he had been on business on Saturday.

J. M. Prentiss of the Prentiss-Wabers Co., spent several days last week in Chicago looking after some business matters.

Miss Nellie Palmatier, who is teaching at Medford, is home for a few days to visit her mother and other relatives and friends.

Leo Reusch of Altdorf was among the Tribune callers Saturday. Mr. Reusch will be a candidate for chairman of the town of Sigel at the coming election.

—Ford cars—We have a number of second-hand Ford cars for sale at a big bargain. Also agents for the Buick car. Huntington & Lewis.

An alarm of fire on Monday forenoon called out the fire department, the trouble being caused by the burning out of a chimney on the James Bogie residence. No damage was done.

Joe Stahl and James Mason received their new Paige cars on Friday last, and they present a very handsome appearance and are apparently all the manufacturers claim for them.

Saturday morning the east side fire department was called out by a small blaze in the woodshed belonging to Ellen Minnehan. The flames were extinguished promptly and very little damage was done.

Robert Rezin, Jr., of the town of Rudolph was among the pleasant callers at the Tribune office on Thursday. Mr. Rezin brought in a quantity of fine maple syrup which he had no trouble in disposing of to our citizens.

Albert and Will Ranthum of Byron Minn. spent Friday and Saturday in the city visiting with friends. The Ranthum boys left here eleven years ago for Byron, where they have been successful as carpenters and contractors.

A number of friends and neighbors surprised Herman Smith at his home on Sunday evening in honor of his birthday. The evening was spent at cards after which refreshments were served and all report a jolly good time.

Attorney Herbert S. Sigelko of Madison was in the city on Friday having come here to attend the meeting of the newly organized camp of Sons of Veterans. While here he favored the Tribune office with a pleasant call.

Martin Olin has sold his farm in the town of Sigel to Abraham Verhulst of Sheboygan, consideration \$8,000. Mr. Olin and family moved to this city on Saturday to reside and have rented the old Austin home on the Rudolph road.

Henry Gaultke has been laid up for the past two weeks with a severe attack of inflammatory rheumatism. He is somewhat better at this writing, but has been a very sick man. His many friends will be pleased to hear of his improvement.

The friends of Atty. W. E. Wheelan have prevailed upon him to become a candidate for supervisor from his ward, the Fourth. Geo. T. Rowland, who has been a supervisor from the ward for a number of years past, has refused to be a candidate again.

Mrs. George Tomske entertained a party of friends at her home on Friday afternoon at a Dutch party. The afternoon was spent in playing cards. Mr. Lloyd Allen and Mrs. Della Ellis were awarded the favors. The afternoon was spent very pleasantly.

Thomas Chrysal of the town of Saratoga was among the callers at the Tribune office on Saturday, having dropped in to see a few nomination papers, which would indicate that there was going to be something doing out Tom's way about the 6th of April.

Charles Daly, who had been in a sanatorium at Milwaukee for several weeks past for the benefit of his health, returned home Sunday morning. Mr. Daly's health is not improved very much, and the doctors in Milwaukee gave him very little encouragement looking toward a permanent cure.

Charles Wiperman has been at Marshfield during most of the time during the past week where he has been attempting to interest some of the citizens in a plan to organize a company for the manufacture of tables. The people up there have been taking considerable interest in the matter and it is possible that such a company may be organized.

L. M. Nash returned Saturday from Excelsior Springs, Mo., where he had spent a week taking treatments for rheumatism. John Nash, who went down there also, returned as far as Chicago where he stopped over for a few days to visit with friends. L. M. Nash reports himself feeling fine since his return and speaks very highly of Excelsior Springs as a health resort.

Dr. D. Waters, who has been attending the clinics at the Mayo Bros. hospital at Rochester, Minn., returned home on Saturday. The doctor reports that he is very much pleased with what he saw at Rochester, and the way things are done over there must be very instructive to one interested in surgery. Mr. Waters feels well paid for the month's time that he spent.

W. L. Hulberg, of Red Wing, Minn., spent several days in the city last week visiting with relatives and friends. Mr. Hulberg was formerly located at Two Harbors, Minn., and was engaged in the jewelry business, but some time ago he moved to Red Wing and bought out one of the principal jewelry stores there, and now has a very nice place. His many friends here will be pleased to hear that he is getting along nicely.

Walter O. Denis of Port Arthur, Ont., arrived in the city on Saturday for a week's visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. Denis. He had been down to Duluth on business and thought it would be a good time to make his friends and relatives in this city a visit. Mr. Denis has been at Port Arthur for twelve years now, and is consequently one of the old residents up there. He is still in the employ of the Pigeon River Lumber Company.

One day last week several girls or young ladies invaded the city for the purpose of soliciting subscriptions for magazines. For every fifty cents they took in they were entitled to a certain number of votes, and the one with the largest number of votes won the right to musical education in the Boston Conservatory of music. While we do not want to discourage anybody from trying for a musical education, if they really need one, we do think that this is a mighty poor way of getting one, and some how we cannot help thinking that they would be better off at home helping their respective mothers bustle the dishes than to be out among strangers on any such flimsy pretext.

—Easter novelties, post cards and booklets at Otto's.

Mrs. W. Worden of Tripoli is visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. Julius Zirke.

Ed. Smith, jeweler at Reichel's store, spent Saturday and Sunday at Ripon visiting with relatives.

Mrs. O. Blaser of Wausau spent several days in the city the past week as a guest of Mrs. E. M. Allerton.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Sutor and daughter Ethel visited with relatives in Marshfield over Sunday.

John Bates, one of the solid farmers of the town of Rudolph was among the Tribune callers on Saturday.

Emil Neltzel is tearing down his old home on 13th Ave North and will rebuild a modern home at a cost of \$30,000.

Miss Della Dunde returned to Waukegan on Saturday after visiting for two weeks with her sister Mrs. Geo. Tomske.

Legal Blanks at the Tribune office.

Henry Fagel, one of the solid farmers of the town of Rudolph favored this office with a pleasant call on Wednesday.

Miss Myrtle Kampe departed on Thursday evening for Vilaska, Iowa, where she will spend the summer with relatives.

Miss Edith Calkins of Stevens Point is spending several days in the city a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Calkins.

Miss Nellie Palmatier who is teaching in the city schools at Medford is home to spend her Easter vacation with her mother, Mrs. Minnie Palmatier.

Attorney W. E. Wheelan is a candidate for supervisor of the Fourth ward. Geo. T. Rowland the present incumbent has declined to become a candidate again.

Godfrey Schiller of the town of Carey was a pleasant caller at this office on Saturday while in the city on business. Mr. Schiller reports the roads very bad at this time.

—Try Red Ribbon cigars they are great!

City Attorney R. R. Williams of Marshfield was in the city on Friday looking after some legal business and while here he favored the Tribune office with a pleasant call.

A. F. Huxford of the town of Grand Rapids was among the business callers at the Tribune office on Tuesday. Mr. Huxford reports that the roads are drying up in fine shape out his way.

Mrs. Henry Welland entertained a number of lady friends at her home on Thursday evening in honor of her birthday. The evening was spent at cards after which an elaborate luncheon was served.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Skeel of Cranmoor visited with relatives and friends in the city from Thursday until Monday, while on their way home from Waupaca, where they have been spending the winter.

Leon Arpin received his new Hupmobile car the past week since which time he has been busy giving demonstrations to prospective customers. Dr. J. J. Looze was the first to place an order for one of the cars.

The Dougherty Stock Company put in last week at Daly's Theater. While here the company put on some good plays and pleased some fair sized audiences. The company as a whole was better than ever before.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Gulbranson, of Mukwonago are spending a few days with their son, Arthur Rintelmann, in this city. Mr. Gulbranson is looking over several farms in this community with the view of purchasing one.

Frank Hamm, one of the progressive farmers of the town of Rudolph was a pleasant caller at this office on Friday. Mr. Hamm and family have recently moved into a fine new brick house which they built the past year on their farmstead.

John Schenck of the town of Rudolph was a business visitor in the city on Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Schenck are well pleased with rural life and while in the city Mr. Schenck made arrangements for the sale of his home on Tenth Ave. North.

Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Potter have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Lela to Mr. Byrl Wina of Granton. A six o'clock dinner was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Potter on Saturday evening at which an announcement of the coming event was made.

Carl Kronholm, one of the progressive farmers of the town of Sigel called at this office on Thursday to advance his subscription to the Tribune for another year. Mr. Kronholm informs us that he will be a candidate for treasurer of the town of Sigel at the coming election, April the 6th.

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Atty. E. C. Pors and C. B. Edwards of Marshfield were in the city on legal business on Monday.

Prof. M. H. Jackson returned on Monday from Marshfield where he had been on business on Saturday.

J. M. Prentiss of the Prentiss-Wabers Co., spent several days last week in Chicago looking after some business matters.

Miss Nellie Palmatier, who is teaching at Medford, is home for a few days to visit her mother and other relatives and friends.

Leo Rousch of Alford was among the Tribune callers on Monday.

Research will be a candidate for chairman of the town of Sigel at the coming election.

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An alarm of fire on Monday forenoon called out the fire department, the trouble being caused by the burning out of a chimney on the James Bogle residence. No damage was done.

Joe Staub and James Mayon received the new Paige cars on Friday last, and they present a very handsome appearance and are apparently all the manufacturers claim for them.

Saturday morning the east side fire department was called out by a small blaze in the woodshed belonging to Ellen Minahan. The flames were extinguished promptly and very little damage was done.

Robert Rezin, Jr., of the town of Rudolph was among the pleasant callers at the Tribune office on Thursday. Mr. Rezin brought in a quantity of fine maple syrup which he had no trouble in disposing of to our citizens.

Albert and Will Hamthum of Byron Minn., spent Friday and Saturday in the city visiting with friends. The Hamthum boys left here eleven years ago for Byron, where they have been successful as carpenters and contractors.

A number of friends and neighbors surprised Herman Smith at his home on Sunday evening in honor of his birthday. The evening was spent at cards and refreshments were served and all report a jolly good time.

Attorney Herbert S. Siggeko of Mudwon was in the city on Friday, having come here to attend the meeting of the newly organized camp of Sons of Veterans. While here he favored the Tribune office with a pleasant call.

Martin Olin has sold his farm in the town of Sigel to Abraham Verhulst of Sheboygan, consideration \$8,000. Mr. Olin and family moved to this city on Saturday to reside and have rented the old Austin home on the Rudolph road.

Henry Gaultke has been laid up for the past two weeks with a severe attack of inflammatory rheumatism. He is somewhat better at this writing, but has been a very sick man. His many friends will be pleased to hear of his improvement.

The friends of Atty. W. E. Wheelan have prevailed upon him to become a candidate for supervisor from his ward, the Fourth. Geo. T. Howland, who has been the supervisor from the ward for a number of years past, has refused to be a candidate again.

Mrs. George Tomske entertained a party of friends at her home on Friday afternoon at a Dutch party. The afternoon was spent in playing cards. Lloyd Althe and Mrs. Dan Ellis being awarded the favors. The afternoon was spent very pleasantly.

Thomas Chrysal of the town of Saratoga was among the callers at the Tribune office on Saturday. Having dropped in to secure a few nomination papers, which would indicate that there was going to be something doing out Tom's way about the 6th of April.

Charles Daly, who had been in a sanitarium at Milwaukee for several weeks past for the benefit of his health, returned home Sunday morning. Mr. Daly's health is not improved very much, and the doctors in Milwaukee gave him very little encouragement looking toward a permanent cure.

Charles Wipperman has been at Marshfield during most of the time during the past week where he has been attempting to interest some of the citizens in a plan to organize a company for the manufacture of tables. The people up there have been taking considerable interest in the matter and it is possible that such a company may be organized.

L. M. Nash returned Saturday from Excelsior Springs, Mo., where he had spent a week taking treatments for rheumatism. John Nash, who went down there also, returned on Saturday where he stopped over for a few days to visit with friends. L. M. Nash reports himself feeling fine since his return and speaks very highly of Excelsior Springs as a health resort.

Dr. D. Waters, who has been attending the clinics at the Mayo Bros. hospital at Rochester, Minn., returned home on Saturday. The doctor reports that he is very much pleased with what he saw at Rochester, and the way things are done over there must indeed be very instructive to one interested in surgery. Mr. Waters feels well paid for the month's time that was spent.

W. L. Hulberg, of Red Wing, Minn., spent several days in the city last week visiting with relatives and friends. Mr. Hulberg was formerly located at Two Harbors, Minn., and was engaged in the jewelry business, but some time ago he moved to Red Wing and bought out one of the principal jewelry stores there, and now has a very nice place. His many friends here will be pleased to hear that he is getting along nicely.

Walter O. Denis of Port Arthur, Ont., arrived in the city on Saturday for a week's visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. Denis. He had been down to Duluth on business and thought it would be a good time to make his friends and relatives in this city a visit. Mr. Denis has been at Port Arthur for twelve years, now and is consequently one of the old residents up there. He is still in the employ of the Pigeon River Lumber Company.

One day last week several girls or young ladies invaded the city for the purpose of soliciting subscriptions for magazines. For every fifty cents they took in they were entitled to a certain number of votes, and the one with the largest number of votes won the right to musical education in the Boston Conservatory of music. While we do not want to discourage anybody from trying for a musical education if they really need one, we do think that this is a mighty poor way of getting one, and some how we cannot help thinking that they would be better off at home helping their respective mothers hustle the dishes than to be out among strangers on any such flimsy pretext.

—Easter novelties, post cards and booklets at Otto's.

Mrs. W. Worden of Tripoli is visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. Julius Zirke.

Ed. Smith, Jeweler at Reichel's store, spent Saturday and Sunday at Ripon visiting with relatives.

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Emil Neitzel is tearing down his old home on 13th Ave North and will rebuild a modern home at a cost of \$24,000.

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Although it was midday when we arrived and the sun beat down mercilessly, many of these tired pilgrims had spread a small scarf or shawl across sticks and were sleeping in its shade. Across the city we saw the pilgrims, some of them carrying palm branches in their hands, until all the highways round about Jerusalem were lined with these weary but devout people.

One could not help pitying them, while at the same time admiring their wonderful devotion. Thousands of them had walked hundreds of miles through Russia and latter place more Turkey, being treated in the latter place more like dogs than human beings. If there is one like dog that a Turk hates, something that arouses his Mohammedan indignation, it is the sight of these Christians, devoted members of the Greek church, plodding across the sultan's domain with but one thought in view—to kiss the tomb of Christ. You can only marvel at their religious zeal which enables them to withstand the tortures of a long journey and the abuse of the cold-blooded Turks.

Fortunately, our quarters had been reserved long in advance, otherwise we, too, would have been forced to camp among the pilgrims beside the highway. As these pilgrims come in sight of the Holy Land they fall upon their knees, facing the Jerusalem they love, so simple and beautiful is their faith.

Jerusalem is a place of interest during the Easter week are many. They are made memorable through their association with Christ on and prior to the day of his crucifixion. We first visited the Garden of Gethsemane, where, so many years ago, he went to pray. "Not my will, but thine," this is a very small plot of ground, containing about twenty-five feet square, old olive trees, flower beds and some extremely old olive trees. Always kept in good order, on the occasion of Easter this hallowed garden is made glorious with beds of flowers in full bloom.

There is also the Via Dolorosa, or "the street of sorrows," through which Christ passed on his way to Calvary. Along this street are the various stations of the cross, recording the incidents in this memorable journey.

Then there is the Church of the Holy Sepulcher, where the elaborate Easter ceremonies are held. This church is in reality a massive building containing vast congregations of churches, chapels and shrines in which the various sects worship. There are within the walls thirty-seven so-called "holy places," and although it must be said that there is a grave question as to the authenticity of many of these.



THE TOMB OF THE KINGS

Knowing that during the days of the actual Easter celebration we would have little opportunity to see these things, owing to the great crowds, we took occasion to visit them the day following our arrival. Among the principal places of interest in the Church of the Holy Sepulcher are the supposed tomb of Christ, the stone of unclean, the Holy Sepulcher, the Greek church, the chapel of St. Helena and Mount Calvary.

The first of the Easter services in the holy city consists of the "washing of feet." It occurs on the Thursday before Good Friday. It is a Greek ceremony, short and unexciting, and takes place in the courtyard of the church. Notwithstanding that it is unexciting, every available space in the courtyard and every commanding window and rooftop was occupied as the Greek patriarch bathed the feet of twelve of his priests as they were seated upon a little platform.

On the next day—Good Friday—we witnessed the most interesting of all. There is a certain impressiveness about it, but the grandeur is lost in the accidental idea. This ceremony takes place over what is said to be the actual site of the crucifixion. It is performed before a cross on which a dummy figure has been nailed. At the conclusion the figure is taken down from the cross and placed in a white sheet, the crown of thorns and the nails drawn from the "hands" and "feet" being placed on silver salvers. After this a procession is formed which leads to the stone of unclean, where sermons are delivered in six different languages.

Saturday afternoon we witnessed the ceremony of the "holy fire," to the minds of the pilgrims the most important of all. There is a certain impressiveness about it, but the grandeur is lost in the accidental idea. This ceremony takes place over what is said to be the actual site of the crucifixion. It is performed before a cross on which a dummy figure has been nailed. At the conclusion the figure is taken down from the cross and placed in a white sheet, the crown of thorns and the nails drawn from the "hands" and "feet" being placed on silver salvers. After this a procession is formed which leads to the stone of unclean, where sermons are delivered in six different languages.

There is an old tradition in Jerusalem that long after Christ had arisen and departed from the holy sepulcher holy fire from heaven was seen to descend into the greater part of its weight, but it must be admitted that many of the poor faithful but ignorant pilgrims still believe the flames they witness to be literally holy fire.

We secured a good vantage point from one of the upper balconies, and by two o'clock the church was filled to overflowing with a zealous yet excitable mob. The Greek patriarch, accompanied by the Armenian high priest, entered the holy sepulcher, and instantly there was a hush throughout all the church. On the other side of the sepulcher are holes, and soon flames appeared through these holes. Instantly the struggle commenced. To us it was a terrible sight to see the pilgrims fight to get near the holy flame. Each pilgrim held a candle, and to light this candle by the holy fire. Within ten minutes the thousands of the holy sepulcher incense had lighted their candles, and the church was a mass of tiny lights from such of these candles.

We were told that much better order might have been maintained on this Easter, during the holy fire ceremony than ever before. The Greek patriarch, however, was removed on stretchers, and we looked on, having been severely injured by being pushed down and trampled on by the struggling mob.

It was interesting but by no means comforting to note the hatred exhibited on every hand by the Turks.

We watched the line forming for a procession where the Turkish soldiers were drawn up as a guard, much as city policemen keep back the crowds during a parade in this country. When a Turk got in the crowd he was well handled and assisted to a vantage point if he cared to see, although for the most part the Turks would not deign to look upon it. Whenever one of the line Christians was pushed by the crowd into the line of Turkish soldiers he was promptly and effectively hit by the butt of a rifle. Not openly, but rather surreptitiously, the soldier stared straight front at the same time he maliciously and viciously jabbed backward with rifle butt, generally grievously hurting whoever was unfortunate enough among the pilgrims to be crowded against the lines. Above all it was the Armenians who were thus glowing there were more ceremonies in the Church of the Holy Sepulcher. These ceremonies were conducted in many languages, and the vestments worn by the priests were unusually gorgeous.

At noon on Sunday the Easter week ceremonies were over for the year. An hour later the great army of pilgrims was flocking out of the city. In all directions they were traveling with their few belongings in bundles, but by far the greater number journeyed out on the highways that led across the Holy Land and into Russia.

By night not a pilgrim remained, while all along the roads round about the holy city the campfires left the litter and the ashes of the campfires where so many thousands had camped during the week. The next day Jerusalem became the same quiet, sleepy city that it was when the man of sorrows rode into it and was taken before Pilate.

rate of men itself is visibly planning a resurrection. Out of the dust of its dead things it rises to a fuller life. Its ancient enemies are in retreat. Hate is dying, poverty is passing, the disinherited have found a voice. As out of a stormy night, we draw near a light and warmth for men.

## STORM SAVED BURNING SHIP

Waves, Breaking Over Abandoned Craft, Extinguished the Blazing Benzine.

A strange shipwreck story, unreported by cable from the Azores, arrived at New York from Horta, Faial, by the Holland-America freighter Zaanveld, which was forced to put into this port by heavy weather that reduced her coal supply. Captain Barendsen says he learned from the skipper of the Norwegian tank steamship La Habra, which arrived at Horta on February 7, that the cargo of benzine caused an explosion aboard as she was nearing the Azores to replenish her bunkers.

La Habra was quickly ablaze from stem to stern. About half of the crew were on the forward part of the tank and the other half aft. Fearing that the falls and other boat gear would be burned, the tank skipper ordered all hands to leave her in lifeboats and stand by. The engines had been stopped and La Habra drifted into the trough and, as she was deeply laden, the seas, which were very high, washed over her.

The chief officer and five men were in a boat towing astern when the hatches of the tank were blown off and a cataclysm of blazing benzine shot over her sides and stern. The boat's painter was burned off and the chief officer and his men went drifting down the blast, being without oars or sail, and disappeared. The other boats were threatened with destruction by the burning benzine, which spread out all around La Habra, making her look like a fire ship in a lake of flame.

The skipper of the tank expected her to be destroyed utterly before his eyes. He was elated when a giant conch broke across her, dousing the fire almost completely. Other seas helped in the work, and all hands except the chief officer and those in his vanishing boat went back on their ship. They found that all charts, books and instruments of navigation had been destroyed.

## London's Treasures Guarded.

Extensive precautions have been taken in London to guard art treasures against the menace of air raids. The custodians of art galleries and museums long ago removed to vaults or similar places the most precious of their portable exhibits. At the British museum a number of priceless manuscripts, books, and other objects have been stored away in safety. Some measure of risk must, however, be borne in a building which contains 40 miles of bookshelves and massive pieces of sculpture. Visitors to the National gallery find the major part of the building closed. At the Guildhall the most valuable pictures have been placed in the basement. The magnificent Gainsborough, "Fording the River," has been removed from the walls. In the corporation strong room in the basement is stored what is probably the finest collection of municipal records in the world. It includes the charter of William the Conqueror to William, Bishop and Godfred, Portreeve, and all the burgesses within London, securing to them their ancient liberties. Every reign since the Conqueror is represented in the charters.

## The Latest War Story.

Soldier's Unmarried Wife (who has been living with her man for eleven years, to charming and aristocratic widow, the local representative of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Families' association)—Well, ma'am, I'm going to be married next week, and I want you to come to the wedding. You've been so kind it would not be right without you.

Fair Widow—I shall be delighted to come, Mrs. Brown. What day is it? Mrs. Brown—On Thursday, ma'am. Fair Widow—That is very unfortunate. I am afraid I cannot go, as I have another important engagement. Mrs. Brown—Is it very important, ma'am? Can't you put it off? Fair Widow—Well, the truth is, I am going to be married myself.

Mrs. Brown—Ah, I quite understand. It doesn't do to miss the chance of getting married when you get the opportunity!—London Times.

## Real Sanitation in Air Towel.

An "air towel" used in the large public lavatory in the District building at Washington, D. C., is the invention of J. M. Ward, superintendent of the District building. In appearance it resembles a rectangular box eleven inches by three, set in a sanitary bath tub. It is pushed into the tub by a hand lever. The device consists of a blow-drying machine, a fan, and a heating element to ducts and deflectors suitably placed for distributing the warm air to all parts of the hands at the same time, and is operated by a foot lever or pedal, which in turn operates a bellows-actuating switch, thereby setting the blower in motion. By removing the foot the device is put out of operation. The hands come in contact with no part of the device, thus assuring a perfectly sanitary operation.

## Point of View.

The pretty plaintiff had testified for three hours and talked. She had talked and talked and talked. "That is all, madam," said the lawyer. "You may leave the witness box."

"Chatterbox," grunted the lawyer for the defense, for he was married and had suffered—Philadelphia Public Ledger.

## Thought He Could Use It.

"I say, have you got a good shiner?" asked the young man limping into the butcher shop.

"Sure thing," said the butcher, getting busy.

"Well, it's a good one I want it. I never broke one of mine last night in a game of hockey."

## Auto Horns.

"What do they mean by the horns of a dilemma?"

## Loyal, Valiant Towser

By Augusta Goodrich Sherwin

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Worthless, wandering Lord Barrett opened a package during a snow-powdered and smacked his lips in glowing anticipation. Then as the contents were revealed his rugged face broke into a smile.

"A right royal hand-out!" he gloated. "Chicken and cake, and biscuits—all buttered, too. Must have had a banquet at that house last night."

Neal sat down on a pile of boards and started in to disburse the tempting viands that lay before him. In his grateful mind was a memory of the pleasant little housewife who had so sumptuously provided for him.

"It's been hard grubbing for a day or two," soliloquized Neal, "but this makes up for it all. It's better than free lunch—and without the temptation. I don't pick up much work, but I'll stick to this. My only safety zone, and I'll stick to it!"

He was a good-natured and a good-looking fellow. Too good-natured, far he had been in the past. It had led to his giving a sweet fond girl. It had ended in her father forbidding him the house. That was a good many miles from Neal's present, temporary residence. Neal saw the justice of his dismissal, for Mr. Parsons was poor and Neal was spoiling the chances for marriage for his daughter, Florence.

Neal had lost his position through being too easy-going with a reckless, dissipated set. He left town and Florence. Work was not easy to pick

up and idleness killed his ambition. He became a wanderer, then a tramp. He was now, as a matter of fact, for a month, however, he had better in a respect. A drinking bout had got him in with a criminal crowd, and had he not abandoned them he would have landed where they did—in the penitentiary. The experience the penitentiary. He took refuge in a local option district. He had not tasted liquor for a month. With sobriety had come sane saddened thoughts of the girl he had left behind him. He had faithfully sought work, but did not find it to do. So, hand-outs had become his portion.

"Hello!" exclaimed Neal in a sudden surprise way.

There had come a rustling in the bushes behind him and then a big handsome colt bounded in front of him, snuffed towards the outspread lunch and then sat up and held out a paw.

"Shake, old fellow!" hailed Neal. "Hungry? I see you are. All right. We'll make it fifty-fifty, and there you are!"

It did Neal good to see the half-famished animal enjoy the toothsome meal, which he divided evenly with Neal. It was getting on toward dusk. Neal had tramped a good many miles that day. He chose a soft grass plot just off the road and stretched himself out.

The dog made no demur, more than content to stay with his new master as long as the latter smoked and spoke to him. As Neal closed his eyes for a nap, however, the animal got up near to him, pulled his sleeve, pranced about, showed plainly that he did not consider it bedtime, nor the state of the siesta favorable for rest and comfort.

"Why are you trying to tell me, old fellow?" queried Neal whimsically. "Want me to go somewhere? All right—march ahead."

The animal at once adopted the methods of a guide. Down the road he proceeded, then across a lot and darting along a narrow lane arrived at an old barn structure.

He looked invitingly at Neal as he entered its doorway. There was a pair of stairs and a loft with sufficient old hay on its floor to make a very comfortable bed.

"Well, well," laughed Neal—"it for me! I share my meal and you pilot me to a first-class bed. Good for you, Towser!"

There became close chums, those two, during the next few days. The constant companionship of the animal pleased and cheered Neal. As to Towser, a grateful sample of true fidelity he seemed to be supremely content. One night, however, when they arrived at the barn, they found the doors barred and padlocked, and it was not so dark but that Neal could read scrawled across the new barrier the chalked words: "Trespassers will be prosecuted according to the law."

Salt Not Essential to Life. If salt is not essential to life, why do those who have little or none of it crave for it? You should see, as I have seen (writes a correspondent), the whole population turn out of an African village on the hope of obtaining salt.

The men demanded it, the women clamored and the children cried for it. Even the coffee-colored babies stung "astiride their mothers' backs, thrust forth their tiny hands and devoured it as greedily as our English children do sweets.

A spoonful of salt all around established amiable relations, and when it came later to hartering I found salt by far the most valuable medium of exchange in the empire of darkness and wrong. Why should we mislead one another, fight not against the enemy, but against ourselves, from mere difference of uniform? All uniforms must be good, so they hold in them true, valiant men—Caryle.

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It had begun to rain and man and dog had tramped a long distance that afternoon. Neal looked for temporary shelter. He found it at the side of the house in a fine-embowered arbor. A long bench invited him to rest and then unconsciously to sleep.

It must have been three or four hours later when Neal awoke. Towser was pulling at his coat. Neal sat up and then sprang to his feet, as from the inside of the house an echoing scream of terror or pain rang out.

"Something wrong," uttered Neal. "The dog, with an eager impatient glance back at his master, had started for the house. Neal followed. The front door was open. Down the hall the dog stole to where a door stood partly ajar. Beyond it Neal peered for the moment, horrified and spellbound. Across a table in his night dress lay the hermitlike occupant of the house—old Jacob Wise. He was dead, and stuck between a red hot bar was a poker. A rough-looking man was standing over the aged Wise.

"Now then, I've got you safe and sound," he was saying. "You've got a fortune hidden away in some old corner of this old house and I want it, understand?"

Jacob Wise made no response. The robber drew the poker from the stove. "Tell where that money is," he spoke, "or I'll give you a touch of this."

The intruder waved the red hot poker menacingly. He moved it across the bare soles of his victim's feet. "I'll tell! I'll tell! I'll tell!" shrieked the tortured old man.

Just then Neal pushed open the door. The intruder turned quickly. Neal sprang at him. They grappled. The robber pressed a revolver against the side of his opponent.

The last thing that Neal Barrett saw as he sank unconscious to the floor was the dog, his teeth at the throat of the wretch who had doused his master.

The waking moment came days later, although Neal did not realize that fact when he first roused up. In amazement he stared. Old Jacob Wise sat at his bedside in a comfortable room. Through an open doorway, moving about engaged in domestic duties, Neal saw Florence Parsons.

"Ah! better!" chuckled the old miser. "Good boy! You have awoken anxious. Know how?" and he nodded his head towards the tidy, graceful figure in the next apartment.

"Yes," whispered Neal weakly, but his face aglow with tenderness and delight.

"She's true blue," declared the old man fervently.

How "true blue," Neal Barrett knew after a little explanation. The faithful Towser had driven the robber away, terribly lacerated. Jacob Wise, grateful to man and dog who had saved him a part of his hoarded fortune, had given Neal the best care possible.

Some memoranda found on Neal had advised Wise of the existence of Florence. He had written her. She had come to nurse the unfortunate man who still lived.

"I'll call her in now," advised Wise. "She knows I'm going to start you out on a new life, with plenty of capital. You're a brave man, and that dog shall have a real silver collar. As to the young lady—don't miss your chance to get a good wife."

Which Neal did not, and Towser, loyal, valiant Towser! was not shut out from guests when the happy wedding took place.

## SHE TOURED WORLD AT 85

Elderly Lady Enjoyed Trip, and Lived Two Years to Talk About It.

Mrs. Mary J. Scroggs, who enjoyed the unique distinction of having traveled around the world and enjoyed every mile of the tour when she was eighty-five years old, died at the residence of her son, Dr. G. A. Scroggs, at Los Angeles, particularly free from illness throughout her life, she was ill but a short time before death. She was eighty-seven years old.

Two years ago Mrs. Scroggs decided to take a trip around the globe. Many friends had known that she was anxious to make the tour, but she had been so long in the habit of being so long as when she announced that she had completed arrangements. Rugged and alert, she traveled through the alien lands with the greatest enjoyment, and gathered an unusually large fund of information.

She was accompanied by her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Doctor Scroggs, and her niece, Miss Elizabeth P. Bailey. The oldest woman ever to make such a trip, according to the records of all transportation companies, she was not ill from ocean travel, and did not miss a day from eight weeks.

Mrs. Scroggs went to Los Angeles 12 years ago from Bedford, Pa., having lived the greater part of her life in that community.

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Once he managed to get her alone with himself at a Christmas party. They sat down together.

"I think I—er—er—I will approach your father tonight. Could you advise as to how I should communicate?"

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# Behind the Guns

By ALEX SHELL BRISCOE

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Stephen Barrow paused in his work of mixing dough to listen to the distant pulsing of the battle. The rasping rifle volleys sounded from a point nearer at hand and he knew that there had been changes in the positions of the batteries, too.

Yes, the troops were retreating again. From the hill he could see cavalry already crossing the Marne.

Well, that had been the regular thing since the English expeditionary force had bumped into the German legions at Mons, far to the north in Belgium.

Stephen could hardly recall how many days had passed since this steady retreat had begun. It seemed to him that it had been going on for months—years.

He had been disappointed in the campaign from the very outset—from the day he had accepted the king's shilling to fight for the union jack.

Nothing events nor his part in them had come up to his expectations. In the first place he had been transferred to the commissary department to mix dough and bake bread instead of fighting, and then he had seen the army hurled back toward Paris in the initial battle—and since then the English had been retreating to new positions as a matter of daily routine.

But bitter as the constant retreat was to the men in the battle lines, it was doubly so to Stephen. Occasionally they had an opportunity of turning on their pursuers, but he was everlastingly mixing dough without a chance of feeling the kick of a rifle against his shoulder.

Now they were retreating again. Infantry in small detachments was crossing the bridge over the Marne, and the tops of the hills beyond were dotted with white puffs of smoke which marked bursting shrapnel. A regiment moved past toward a position on the river bank, and Stephen studied it carefully.

Somewhat the bearing of the men cheered him. They were grimmer, leaner, dirtier than when they landed in France, but they were still full of fight and confidence.

Every man seemed waiting impatiently for the day when he should turn his face north and help even the score with the Germans.

And the time for the stand was near at hand, they believed, and Stephen did too. The imperiled left wing rested against the forts of Paris; the river provided a strong line of defense, and to retreat farther meant severing communications with the capital. Yes, without doubt, the allies were about to stop and fight.

But the thought deepened Stephen's gloom.

He was a tall man of twenty-eight, with a jaw that jutted forward at a pugnacious angle, and he yearned for an opportunity to take a hand when the big battle started. He knew how slender his chances were of ever reaching the firing line, but a thorough appreciation of the situation didn't make it easier to bear—didn't soothe his resentment against the fate that kept him mixing dough while others did the real work of war.

"If I only had a chance!" he thought. "I wouldn't mind wallowing in the mud, or even being shot, but to take just one crack at them! Tomorrow or next day the boys will be hurled out with Kaiser Bill—and I'll be wrestling with a camp oven."

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He was a tall man of twenty-eight, with a jaw that jutted forward at a pugnacious angle, and he yearned for an opportunity to take a hand when the big battle started. He knew how slender his chances were of ever reaching the firing line, but a thorough appreciation of the situation didn't make it easier to bear—didn't soothe his resentment against the fate that kept him mixing dough while others did the real work of war.

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point would be no easy task. Even Stephen could see that, and he hunched more than ever to take part in the fighting. But he knew his desire was futile. Duty would send other men to the firing line; duty would send him to mix dough while they battled.

At dawn the German guns opened fire, grumbling like a tired sleeper awakened too early; then for the first time in weeks of active campaigning, Stephen saw a real battle begin. The commissary wagons were back of a ridge hardly a half mile behind the line of the hill he could see the whole battle-field in the bond of the river.

The infantry swarmed into the trenches, each man working diligently with his bayonet to "dig himself in" deeper, using planks, branches of trees, or any other material at hand to construct overhead coverings as a protection from shrapnel. A group of trench officers gaped the length of the lines, then the English batteries went into action, firing at regular intervals as they tried out the range.

The cannonading swelled to a steady pulsing roar that answered the throb of German howitzers masked in the hills beyond the river and soon the black spurt of smoke from high explosive shells mingled with the white cotton balls of bursting shrapnel.

All morning Stephen watched the Germans attempting to force their way across the river.

He paused in his work to see an English battery knock a pontoon bridge to pieces, and marveled when the Germans went doggedly to work to rebuild it, while their guns concentrated a deadly fire on the places which had caused the damage.

From both sides he heard the throb of cannon and the smashing rifle volleys—like the sound of hail on a glass skylight. For miles up and down the river the battle was in progress, and at every point the German onslaught was equally determined.

The pontoon bridge was completed again, and ghost-gray thousands poured over it.

Cavalry battalions swam their horses across the stream, and under the shelter of the high banks the Kaiser's legions massed themselves for an attack.

They waited while their artillery drenched the English position with shrapnel, then surged out from under cover in gray bodies, and with a rippling tearing of tough cloth, the infantry crossed the river, and under the wicked snarl of machine-guns which were spraying the advancing lines with steel-jacketed bullets.

Into the little village, now deserted by its inhabitants, poured a German column; and as the English shells plumed down among the houses, thick plumes of smoke—which thickened and grew blacker—appeared at a dozen points. But the Germans did not hesitate.

Through the burning town they swept, while other columns advanced on each side, and across the river the living stream still flowed.

In the fields the solid masses spread out fanwise and charged up the slope toward the trenches. Now they were at the foot of the hill, and Stephen could no longer see the other side in front of where he stood, but on each side he had a good view of their onward rush. Little flashes of light glinting from bayonets fixed for the charge.

Machine-guns and rifles took heavy toll.

The ground the Germans passed over was carpeted with writhing or motionless figures; but ever they closed their ranks and went on. The attack seemed irresistible—their numbers hardly diminished.

Half-way up the hill the Germans faltered as an onrushing battery plowed red furrows through their ranks; but it was only for a moment; they then pulled themselves together and surged upward. At the edge of the hill Stephen saw the English clamoring out of the trenches and heard the final volleys that withered the charging host and, above the thudding of cannon and the splintering rattle of rifles, the deep shout of the infantry as they met steel with steel.

Back down the slope rolled the red line of battle.

Stephen caught the imperative call of bugles commanding the English to retire to the trenches and watched the Germans reform and again storm forward to the attack, only to be flung back. A third time they hurled themselves upon the English, but this time they were more quickly checked.

Another battery had been brought into position and the gray forces broke halfway up the hill—broke and recoiled in confusion.

A yell of victory arose; caps waved from the British lines, then again the men burrowed in the holes they had dug as the storm of shrapnel was resumed.

Stephen swung his hat and cheered too; he secretly he was aware with a thrill because he could not take an active part in the fighting. A great, possibly a decisive, battle was on, and he was a mere spectator.

He realized he should be mixing dough, for the men in the trenches would be hungry. They must be fed so they could fight again.

But even as he turned back to take up his work there came a shout. Men were running about the commissary wagons, horses were being harnessed, already some of the vehicles were moving away.

For a moment Stephen stared bewildered; then, after a glance toward the west, he too, broke into a run. Stephen's driver was backing the traces when he arrived, and started the team with a shout and a swing of his whip as his comrade leaped to the seat of the big oven. The crest of a hill to the west was swarming with gray-clad figures. The English were fleeing before them. The line had been broken by a force which had charged up the steep banks along the Marne.

Whether the Germans could hold the position under the fire of the English batteries and could cut off the forces entrenched on the little plateau was yet to be decided; but, meantime, the vicinity was no place for a commissary train.

At the foot of the ridge a road ran east and west, and the wagons took

it at the top speed of their lumbering horses, camp kettles sloshing and splashing, iron ovens clanging as they jumped over the stones.

A cloud of dust appeared in front, and the wagons turned aside into a shallow ditch while a battery whirled by, guns and caissons, rattling caissons, and after them cavalry, all in a desperate hurry to save the infantry from rout.

At the same time the air seemed suddenly full of shrieking things that burst with thunder-claps and scattered death! The Germans had brought guns across the Marne, and they had the range.

When the battery and cavalry had passed, the commissary wagons turned back into the road and raced on in an effort to get beyond the zone of fire; but disaster quickly overtook them. A shell struck a heavy van, the vehicle following it toppled over into a ditch in an effort to drive past the wreck, and the road was blocked.

Little German field-pieces continued to rake the train from end to end.

Every shell added to the confusion. The road quickly became a litter of smashed wagons and dead horses. Drivers were cutting loose the animals and riding away. It was obviously impossible to extricate the train, and Stephen was about to follow the example of his fleeing comrades when around a turn came a black ammunition wagon, its driver lashing his horses.

Pumped into the piled-up mass of wreckage it drove!

Stephen reached the scene as the driver, who had been hurled from his seat, staggered to his feet, and from his blasphemous comments he learned that the reasons for the haste. The infantry, on the plateau was running short of ammunition.

There had been a blunder somewhere, and the word had been zigzagged that unless ammunition arrived soon the troops would be helpless.

It was then that Stephen qualified as a man in an emergency. The ammunition wagon was overturned, one of his horses was down with a broken leg, but nearby stood a big wheeled trough, in which dough for the camp bakery was mixed. Its horses had not been touched as yet by the rain of shells.

Promptly Stephen took command of the situation.

No officer was near, and the men followed him as promptly as they could. He was a natural leader whether he was shoulder-strap or not. Willing hands slipped a passage through the hedge which surrounded an adjoining field, while others hastily transferred boxes of cartridges from the ammunition wagon to the camp bakery trough.

When the gap was open Stephen took the reins, the driver of the ammunition wagon swung up beside him, and they drove through the hedge. Shells were bursting about them. Any moment one might hit the wagon!

There was more than half a mile of open country, swept by bullets, to be

crossed. It was his first experience under fire; but he did not hesitate.

There was no time even to think of being scared, to analyze his emotions. The men up on the plateau must have guessed or they must surrender—and the loss of that hill spoiled disaster!

The pace of the heavy draft horses was slow—cruelly slow—and the need of haste was vital. They had not gone a hundred yards before bullets from the German infantry were whining past, and Stephen stood up to lash the lumbering animals.

Now they were only a quarter of a mile from the English trenches, but the bullets were flying thick, and shrapnel was dotting the slope with fleecy, white balls!

Now they were at the bullet-swept summit, with only a hundred yards to go!

Could they pass through the storm of lead unscathed?

Stephen yelled encouragement to the laboring horses, swung his whip in an effort to urge them to greater speed. The man beside him suddenly slumped in his seat, and quietly slid off to the ground.

Stephen felt a shock and his left shoulder went numb; his cap was dashed from his head; something warm was running down his wrists and making the reins slippery.

One of the horses lurched in its stride, but he lashed it on to a quicker, last effort. Only a hundred feet to go—now, then!

One horse went down; the other was thrown to one side. The twist overturned the wagon, spilling cases of cartridges on the ground.

There was a sensation of flying through space, and blackness swallowed Stephen.

He awoke to find himself lying on the trampled grass near the trenches, swathed in bandages, very stiff and helpless and weak. The sound of the guns had receded. English guns were

blasting shells into the rear ranks of Von Kluck's army, which was already beginning its retreat to the north.

Some one leaned over him—a gray-haired man who wore the straps of a colonel.

"So this is the chap who drove half a mile through the water to bring the cartridges," a voice said. "Well, if he hadn't it's hard telling what would have happened today. Holding this hill is all that saved us."

Several days later in a field hospital Stephen, with the petulance of a sorely wounded man, interviewed the brisk, capable young physician who was dressing his wounds.

"You think they'll let me in one of the active regiments when I get out of here?" he asked. "They put me in the commissary where a chap has no chance to get into the fighting. It's tough."

The surgeon nodded approval and understanding. He knew what it was to remain behind the guns dressing wounds when the world would have preferred to be making them.

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His mind, already confused by the difficult words he had heard, could not tell at first whether it was the feet of men or horses that he heard.

He stood up, tottering a little, but still clutching in his hands his blunders.

Then he saw, rushing down upon him, horses, more horses than in all his life he had ever seen and, mounted on them, men, different from any men that he had ever beheld. Did he know that for the tricolor?

Did he know that the round, full moon looked down upon scattered homes where only the children slept, where the women wept and shuddered and waited.

For the men had marched away under the brilliant, flaming colors. None had been too old to go, none too young.

Their lips had shrouded the ravens' notes, the wailing words of Honor, Patrie, Gloire—but every eye was wet, every heart heavy with despair and terror.

Bibi had watched them go, the tiny staff in his clenched fingers beating time to the brave music, to the hurrying foot, but, in the nameless terror that had descended upon the land, clinging to the old grandmother's hand, and when the soldiers were gone, he, brother, brother—him himself sobbing upon the ground. The woman, left alone in the world save for the small grandchild, watched with eyes too full for tears until there was no longer even a cloud of dust upon the horizon; then she turned and hobbled into the empty house, leaving the child still lying there upon the lonely road.

Before the hearth she sat, seeing the long procession of all the others who, under that same tricolor, had marched out, away from her life, never to return. Hours later, when Bibi came in, his little tragedy all forgotten, his face reflecting only the golden glory of the summer day, he found her sitting there, dry-eyed, her shriveled lips muttering prayers for those already dead, for those about to die. Into her shaking hands he thrust his offering—a nosegay of blueets, the color of the sky, of deep-poppies, a flame of red, and mullen, white with the dust of the road—the tricolor that had taken from them grandfather, father, husband and son.

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And then there dawned the day of horror. For hours of light and darkness the roar of cannon had lashed the universe, for hours of light and darkness the grandmothers had knelt quivering and trembling before the great fix. At daybreak the low horizon stretched—a long line of fire and smoke; flames licking up the parched fields with the hovel that stood in their midst, black smoke creeping like a pall across the sky.

In the gray light before the sun had risen Mere Crapette stood in the doorway and watched the oncoming scorch and smoldering territory.

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He hesitated and then said "Twenty."

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"Yes," he said, "it is tough to be used down where you can't grab a gun and wade in. As for your being able to get transferred to the infantry, I'm rather sure they'd be glad to get a hundred thousand like you."

"You think so?" Stephen spoke eagerly. "I'm going to make application as soon as I can. I sure would like to get into just one battle."

A slow grin overspread the doctor's face, and he ran his eyes over Stephen as though taking an inventory.

"That's too bad," he said dryly, "and you're not likely to be able to have a chance soon. You've a hole through your right thigh, a bullet in your left shoulder, a superficial furrow of the scalp, the calf of your right leg was drilled twice, and you have three minor flesh wounds."

"You've been mentioned in dispatches for that ammunition stunt of yours, and the chance are you'll find a nice decoration what my staff officer could give his left leg for."

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## RETORT MUST HAVE STUNG

Effective Rebuke If Recipient Had Not a Hide as Thick as a Hippopotamus.

One may be excused for feeling a little joy when the man who goes out by his way to make a rude remark in order to display his wit receives a rebuke that is as courteous as it is at the same time effective.

The retort given by a certain learned scientist must have been considerably more amusing to the onlookers than it was to the learned gentleman's antagonists.

It happened at dinner that one of the guests began to deride philosophy, and went on rudely to express the opinion that philosophy was but another way of spelling fool.

"What is your opinion, professor?" he asked. "Is there much distance between them?"

The professor, with a polite bow to his vis-a-vis, responded gravely: "Sometimes only the width of a table."

## INDICATIONS OF AN EARLY SPRING

Great Prosperity Ahead for Western Canada.

The most recent advice from all points in Western Canada report that conditions are apparent for an early spring. Farmers are going over the implements, getting their seed ready for operation, the plows in shape for extended breaking, and there is a general optimism. A great many new settlers have already arrived, and the reports from Canadian Government agents in the United States point to the fact that in a few days there will begin the usual emigration from various states. From the Eastern states the number of farmers going to Canada will be greater than in any past year.

There has been a fairly large snow-fall during the winter, which will greatly aid to the precipitation of last fall, which in the opinion of old-timers was in itself sufficient to insure a good crop during the present year.

There will be very little tilled land that will be without a crop this year. The authorities, though, are pleading with the farmers to plant only such land as has had careful preparation,







## SECOND PAPERS ARE NECESSARY TO VOTE

Madison, Mar. 23.—By a vote of 4 to 3 the supreme court did a complete summation in the case in which the validity of a large number of constitutional amendments was at stake. The citizenship amendment requiring voters to have their second papers filed, was held to be valid. This was a decision of the highest importance, as it meant that the first paper from voting at the coming spring election. The income tax and highway amendment are all safe as a result of a decision. No opposition was filed, a memorandum only being filed in one instance. Winslow, Barnes, Kerwin and Seebecker, concurring in the decision of the majority, while Marshall dissented. The majority of the dissenters in which Kluge and Tamm concurred. The decision came too late to stem the tide of alien voters which swept to the polls in large numbers, and in some cases, in violation of special notices to election voters were sent to the polling places. These were served first over the phone and then delivered by city employees. Many of the illegal votes had been cast to-day's election could be voided because of the intermingling of alien and naturalized voters. An opinion of City Attorney Ryan did not interfere with the case to be as serious as this. "Where the vote of a man is in question, we will have to let that vote go unchallenged. Where the vote on candidates is close and it is probable that many of the illegal votes had been counted, the only result than is court procedure. We are notifying election officials as fast as possible."

The social democratic party won a victory, the decision of the lower court in the case state ex rel Wilham Koch against E. T. Melms being affirmed. The decision holds that the chairman of a political party is not authorized person to attest to the affiliation of members of his party. Koch was retained as a member of the election committee in spite of the fact that the party chairman denied that he was a member of that party. Koch will be released.

The man who is "All There." Employers pay too dearly for half a man, even at half price. It is not a man's time at his work that counts, but his efficiency in it. The basis of this is enthusiasm, thoroughness.

Enthusiasm is the best half of the man. Enthusiasm is to the man what steam is to an engine. Neither will go without it, unless it is pulled or pushed. Ability, talent and genius are all good to have. But there is one thing better because it embraces all that is good in all of these—thoroughness. The secret of mechanical, commercial, financial or any other pre-eminence is disclosed in the one word—thoroughness.

The thorough man need never fear to lose his job. He and his job are one and inseparable. His work is his own, a part of himself, and he can take it with him wherever he goes. His employer is far more afraid of losing him than he is of losing his job. He who has mastered his job is the secret of capitalists.

Ability may shine now and then, but thoroughness glows steadily always. Talent may make fine sports, but thoroughness is the fabled tortoise in the race. Genius may dazzle at times, but thoroughness may be depended on all the time.

The thorough men are the foundation stones of any business. The untrained, time-serving, clock-watching ones are poor material for even the slightest superstructure.—Washington Post.

Card of Thanks. We, the officers and members of Wood County Post No. 23, Department of Wisconsin G. A. R., wish to express our heartfelt thanks to Messrs E. P. Arpin, J. B. Arpin and A. J. Hasbrouck for their kindness in furnishing automobiles for the members of the Post in attendance at the funeral of our late comrade, Jos. L. Cotey and T. B. Huey.

W. H. Getts, Com. M. H. Lyann, Adj. Pro Tem.

STORY OF THE UNLUCKY MAN. Once upon a time there was a guy who was so unlucky that all the people in town noticed it, and he became an object of pity among the neighbors. If he took an interest in anything his friends kept away from it because they knew that it was going to go wrong at some stage of the game. His friends used to say that he was so unlucky that if he had been starving to death and it was raining soup he would not have been able to borrow a bucket. During his school days when one of the kids threw a paper wad at the teacher or tied a can to a dog's tail he always got the blame, and if there was any licking on account of it he was always one of the principal participants and the chief mourner. One day when he was out on a picnic with some more of his kind the crowd started out for a boat ride, and when the unlucky one came trail-ling along behind, owing to a false start, it was discovered that there was not room in the boat for him. Later on the boat filled with water while near the middle of the stream and two of the boys were drowned, and the rest of them had a narrow escape with their lives. As the unlucky one had never learned to navigate the water, the only thing he could do was to sit on the bank and encourage those who were in the water.

Why he was so unlucky that if he had run across a fellow who was selling gold dollars for ten cents a bushel he would not have been able to raise a nickel. Later in life he went courting, having his eye on an austring haired little dame that lived in his halfwitted but his luck was not with him, and Alex Smart struck town just about that time and copped out the little fairy. She now has thirteen children and is a real housewife, freckled face and check every Saturday night or else argue the matter out with rolling pins for trumps.

But he never complained. When the fellow from the city came out and sold all the prominent citizens a few blocks of old stock, but he failed to get in on the good thing because he happened to be in the wrong place when the stock was being sold. He never made a word of complaint, even when the investors several months afterward got a dividend of two per cent.

So things ran along with but luck ever peeping over his shoulder and over and over again getting tangled up with his endeavors, until one day he got married. You may think that such an unlucky fellow could have him, but in this you are mistaken. There was never a man so low down, or so unfortunate, or so totally depraved, that some girl was not willing to stop and help him spend his income, no matter how large or how small it happened to be.

When this unlucky devil got a wife on his hands the neighbors shook their heads and prophesied that it was all off with the big Swede. However, Mary Ann was not that kind of a girl, and for some reason things seemed to kind of brighten up for the unlucky one. His shirt looked cleaner, and he wore a collar and cravat, and there was quite a look of prosperity about the old shack that he had called home for so many years.

Within a few years his condition was no different from that of his neighbors, many of whom had pined in the old days, and had predicted that nothing but evil could ever come of the whole affair. It merely shows that sometimes it is only a very small step from the sublime to the ridiculous, and there are very few who can tell just when the step is going to be made.

HEALTH TABLETS. In the 16th century the average of life was 21 years; in the 17th century, 26 years; in the 18th century, 34 years; in the 19th century, 39 years. Were present knowledge utilized, the average length of human life in this country could be increased to 60 years for the 20th century.

Russia has the highest birth rate of any civilized nation. The infant death rate is likewise the highest. It isn't the babies born, but the babies saved, that count.

RUDOLPH. Mr. Sullist of Park Falls, is here overseeing the erection and office. This country is doing an immense business. In silos no one can compete with them in prices. Mrs. K. J. Marceau was shopping in your city Tuesday. Mrs. N. G. Ratelle and family are out of quarantine after most of the children having scarlet fever. Mrs. Olaf Croghan was a Grand Rapids visitor Thursday. Mrs. Matilda Elliott went to your city Friday noon to spend several days at the home of her brother N. J. Richards. Charlie Ratelle has given up the management of the telephone exchange here. He expects to spend the summer in Rudolph and will do painting and carpenter work. Mrs. Ethel Lindner and daughter Earline expect to leave Wednesday noon for Saginaw, Mich. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Clark are moving here from Biron. Arthur is the new manager of the telephone exchange here. Mrs. Olaf Croghan left here Saturday noon for her home in Crystal Falls, Mich., after a week's visit with her father and sister. The Ladies Aid Society of the Catholic church did not meet with Mrs. A. J. Kujawa Thursday afternoon and has been postponed until after Easter.

Mrs. N. G. Ratelle and son Donald were visiting relatives in your city Friday afternoon. Fred Piltz, our general hardware man has just received a carload of fence wire, nails, etc., and his prices are always right. Mrs. Jean Juneau returned home Saturday evening from Milwaukee, where she was called by the serious illness of her daughter Alva. N. G. Ratelle was confined to his bed Saturday and Sunday with an attack of La Grippe.

The Stork has been very busy around here this spring and the past week he left a son at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edmond Livernash, Mar. 22nd. A girl at the home of Charlie Alberts, March 21st, and early Sunday morning, March 28th, he left a daughter at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Bankendorf of Madison. Gave a very interesting talk on cooperative creameries in Krebsbach's hall Monday evening. A large crowd was in attendance.

Our town was terribly shocked Saturday morning on learning of the suicide of Grandpa Clark the aged father of Mrs. Leon Baughman who has made his home with his daughter for the past 14 years. It seems he got up at his usual time 5:30 and built the fire and sat down in a chair with a rifle and put it between his legs and shot. The charge went up through the roof of his mouth and blew his brains out. The remains were taken to your city and prepared for burial and Sunday night were shipped to Woodruff, LaFayette County for burial. The bereaved relatives have the sympathy of this community.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Hofschild departed Friday for Fond du Lac, Oshkosh and Chilton, where they will visit with friends and relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Hofschild are newly weds and have been visiting with his brother's family here while on their wedding tour. At eight o'clock p. m. Wednesday, April seventh, a lecture, illustrated with stereoscopic pictures, will be given in the Moravian church. The subject will be "John Hus, the Founder of the Moravian church." Mrs. Emil Piltz entertained the Moravian ladies aid society last Thursday. A large crowd was in attendance.

SHERRY. Mr. Tom Evans returned Monday from a business trip to Chicago, Milwaukee and Racine. Miss Fernie Moran, who has been attending Teacher's Training school at Grand Rapids is now teaching in Districts 2 and 6. The Embroidery Club met Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Swaze. Miss Hazel Parks of the Lawrence college is enjoying a week's vacation. The Missionary society met at the home of Mrs. Tjpkema on Saturday. The subject for study was "Our Immigrants," the meeting being led by Miss Slayton.

A St. Patrick's party was given on Friday evening at the N. C. I. by the sophomores and seniors. All who attended were requested to wear the "Irish Green." The room was decorated beautifully in green and white. An interesting program was given and a nice lunch served. A good time was reported.

Mr. and Mrs. Knapp, the parents of Mrs. Hugh Jones, returned to their home at Oshkosh, Wis., this week, after spending the winter here. Miss Edna Abby and Mr. Louis Anderson of Fairchild, Wis., were very quickly married on Wednesday, March 17th at the home of the bride's parents, only relatives and a few friends being present. They left on the train for a short wedding trip to Minneapolis, St. Paul and other points before going to Fairchild where they will make their home. Mr. Anderson is engaged in the real estate business there.

Mrs. Willard of New London, Wis., is spending a week visiting her son, Charles and the Gates family. A home talent play, entitled "Diamonds and Hearts" was given on Friday evening at the opera house by the young people of Sherry. Those taking part were Miss Daniels, Miss Farrell, Lola Moran, Otto Becker, Jennie Evans, Chas. Willard, Mrs. P. West, Clarence Somers, Irvn Manthel, and Brice Dille. It was well rendered and enjoyed by a large audience. The young people deserve much credit for their efforts in making it a successful play. The proceeds will go to the Sherry graded school.

Mr. Ralph Anderson, a student of the Northwest Collegiate Institute spent Sunday with his parents, at Shawano, Wis.

A Family Mourn. The loss of a kind wife and loving mother whose presence will cheer them no more.

On Sunday morning, Mrs. Mary A. Stout a devoted member of the Catholic church bid the world farewell. Fortified and strengthened by her last sacraments her soul went forth to meet her Maker.

(In loving remembrance.) Like beauty of summer her presence gave joy to our souls. In the midst of our trouble she shone In her wisdom and help. Our beings she blessed, our spirits Were filled with her cheer. But in our hearts we know We have no mother now.

How oft the sins of others with Sweet charity she clothed; For the greatest sinner in time of need Would find in her a friend. How freely upon her own the fond Love of her heart bestowed; And now among her own she'll rest For the same land that gave her birth. Has caught her to her breast May she rest in peace. Amen. —A Friend.

"There is more need for art kits than there is for art galleries."

Gloves for Easter. We sell the famous "Keyser" silk gloves, the glove with the double finger tip. Keyser brand Cotton Gloves 24c per pair. Keyser brand Silk Gloves 48c per pair. Keyser brand Silk Gloves in a better grade, per pair 75c. Keyser brand Silk Gloves, best quality special value, per pair 98c. 16 button length Keyser brand Silk Gloves, good quality, per pair 98c. 16 button length Keyser brand Silk Gloves, extra quality, per pair \$1.45. Kid Gloves. A good quality Lamb Kid Glove in black, white and colors, per pair \$1.00. Genuine French Kid Gloves in black, white and colors, per pair \$1.50.

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Are You Prepared for The Easter Parade? Every man or woman who promenades on Easter will want to be correctly dressed. We have paved the way for you in every department of our store, with attractive, high class merchandise. Whether it be Coat, Suit, Dress, Shoes or any dress accessories, we have the proper thing for your Easter outfit.

Hosiery for Easter. We sell better hosiery for lower prices. Fibre silk hose, black, white and tan per pair 24c. Fibre silk and silk lisle hose in black, white or tan per pair 39c. Better grade fibre silk hose in black, white or tan per pair 48c. Genuine silk hose, best made for the price, black, white and colors, per pair 98c. Better grade real silk hose in black and all desirable colors, pair \$1.45.

A Comprehensive and Authoritative Showing of Womens and Misses Coats, Suits and Dresses for Easter. In all the season's most approved styles, in all the new fabrics and in a complete line of fashionable colors. Our Easter Apparel is selected with full consideration of style and proper making as well as with the thought of giving our patrons the best for the money that can be secured anywhere.

New Arrivals Since the Style Show. We have received many beautiful silk coats, suits and dresses since our style show that we would like to show you. Come in at your earliest convenience.

Fashionable Millinery for Easter. Our Millinery section is replete with beautiful new spring hats—each hat an individual style creation. In this showing will be found a wonderful variety of smart turbans, large and small sailors, shepherdess, poke and transparent hats in all the new shades, including sand, putty, regimental blue and battleship grey. The superior quality and the low prices of our hats will delight all women of refined taste.

Easter Appapel for Men and Young Men. April 4th is Easter. That's the time for new things; you well dressed men are undoubtedly planning on a new outfit. We're ready for you with a complete line of beautiful new spring Suits and Overcoats, Hats, Gloves, Shirts, and in fact everything you will need for Easter. For all the style that's going see the Varsity models—look especially at the Tartan plaids, and see how good a suit \$22.50 will buy.

Dainty Styles in Footwear for Easter. Our assortment of styles in footwear for Easter is very extensive, and embraces practically all of the new ideas, frills and fancies considered correct, known to the art of shoemaking. STYLE more than ever is the predominating note in Women's Footwear—including a number of very pleasing color combinations in both high and low shoe styles. Our line must be seen to be fully appreciated—may we show them to you. Footwear for The Whole Family.

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